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FORTY YEARS MARRIED.

Anniversary Observed Quietly, But Pleasantly, By Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wood of Fremont Street, Last Evening.

The 40th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Thomas Wood was observed by them yesterday, at their residence, 54 Fremont street.

A number of their friends called and extended their congratulations. When all the guests had arrived, the hymn "Bless be the tie that binds," was song. Then prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Court, after which Rev. Mr. Yarrow made brief remarks and closed by performing the marriage ceremony over again. By a happy coincidence the "best man" and "bridesmaid" were the same ones who officiated at the wedding, forty years ago, Mr. and Mrs. John Noble, whose marriage was a year following.

After the ceremony Mrs. James Dawson read a poem of congratulation and presented a handsome marble clock and other presents on behalf of friends. After this addresses were made and refreshments served.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mulno, Mr. and Mrs. James Sutcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. John Mountford, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fielding, Mr. and Mrs. John Bramhall, Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, Rev. and Mrs. Yarrow, Mr. and Mrs. James Wood, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoyle, Fred Pickles, Mr. and Mrs. John Noble of Lawrence, Mrs. John Mahon, Mrs. Joseph Thorne, Mrs. Hannah Kenyon, Mrs. George Ingham, Mrs. Medley, Miss Addie Brown, Mrs. C. F. Hemenway, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Lavelle, Mr. and Miss Sheppard, Mrs. O. A. Simpson, Mrs. Clogston, Mrs. Ashworth, Mrs. Kershaw, Mrs. Bowker, Mrs. George Sanderson, Miss Sarah Sanderson, Mrs. Brown.

Among those who sent gifts were Mrs. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Noble of Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Lavelle, Mrs. Hemenway, Mrs. Hoyle, Miss Sarah Cahill, Ela and Locke, and Mrs. John Mahon. Mr. T. H. Husband acted as usher during the evening and Miss Sarah Sanderson looked after the comfort of the ladies.

Mr. Wood was born in Derbyshire, Eng. in 1828. In 1854 he married Miss Ruth Heafey, in Glossop church, in his native county. In 1857 they came to this country and in 1858 Mr. Wood entered the employ of the J. C. Ayer company, where he has remained ever since and has filled a responsible position with satisfaction to all with whom he is connected.

MANTELL'S BIG NIGHT.

Opera House was Packed by Lowell People to Witness Monbars—Storm Did Not Materially Interfere With Audience.

While the storm came in inopportune time last night, it did not prevent a crowded house to see Monbars, although the audience was not all in until 8.30. Robert Mantell sustained his previous reputation and gave a finished, artistic performance as usual, being grandly supported by substantially the same company which has been with Mr. Manteli for two years.

Gentle Effie Ellsler, the sweetest actress in sentimental dramas on the American stage will no doubt be enthusiastically greeted tonight when she plays Doris in a drama of that title. Last season she received most flattering notices of her play and everywhere her part was praised. To-morrow evening she plays Hazel Kirke, her original creation in the drama of that name.

Saturday's attraction, afternoon and evening, will be Louis Aldrich in "My Partner."

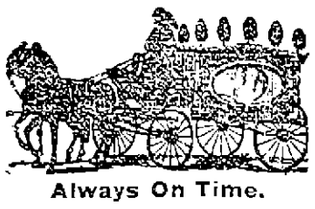
At Music hall the new bill for the week "Little Tatters," was successfully introduced with a number of new features, which makes the performance bright, fresh and catchy. The audience was enthusiastic and undoubtedly the week will be a prosperous one.

Pretty girls and clever specialties described the merry performance at the Bijou theatre by the burlesque company. The curtain raiser "Mamie's Surprise Party," made a hit, while the burlesque, "The Gypsies" created a roar of laughter. The Living Pictures are good.

If only to see Mrs. Gilbert use her beautiful fan, and to hear Miss Corea sing, no one should miss seeing Mikado at Lakeview this week, the last attraction at the summer theatre. This is the best performance of the season, and the singing is superb. Miss Corea and Mrs. Gilbert are Yum Yum and Pitti Sing, respectively, while the entire cast, including Mr. Martin and Mr. Iamoni of New York, is very satisfactory. Prof. Wolcott's balloon ascension after the matinee and his parachute jump should not be overlooked.

James F. O'Donnell,

PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER.



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POLITICAL ARENA

Senator Brady is Nailing Up His Fences.

C. I. HOOD'S RUMORED CANDIDACY A MYTH.

The Guerilla Warfare Going On in Ward Two.

Senator Brady was consulted a few days ago by a number of men who wanted to organize a "Brady campaign club" consisting of good workers from every ward in the city. The genial senator thanked them for the interest shown in his canvass but asked them to defer the work of organizing until as many democrats as possible be replaced on the voting list. He requested the gentlemen to interest themselves in the work as the best way to help him and other candidates on the democratic ticket. They are now looking up the democrats whose names have been dropped from the list by the assessors with a view to have them all restored.

This does not prove that Senator Brady is neglecting to look after the condition of his fences. He looks them over daily and whenever he finds a weak spot he forthwith drives a few political nails that will hold until election day at least. His record in the legislature will show that on every labor question his vote was on the right side. His efforts for the passage of the Weavers' Particulars bill were acknowledged to be very effective while no man worked more successfully than he for the Normal school. He is willing to have his record scrutinized as it will be to his advantage when the proper time comes. As yet the republicans have not intimated who his opponent will be. But it is likely that they will nominate either Foss or A. G. Walsh ex-councilman of Ward Four. Meantime Brady is cutting political ice by scouring the third ward for the men who are eligible for registration.

The other men who are hard at work on this matter of registration are John Conlon and John F. Tully, both of Ward Four, while James A. Sullivan of the democratic headquarters is continuously employed in advancing the interests of the party organization. There is now a prospect that the city will be quite as strongly democratic this year as ever before.

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The representative fight in Ward Two is the hottest in republican circles for years. It is a three-cornered fight between Putnam, the young men's candidate, A. H. Cluer, the supposedly A. P. A. candidate, and Major Rowell, who just at present is hustling from house to house, and nearly every house has been visited by friends of the candidates, and Putnam undoubtedly has the pole in the race. He generously stepped aside when Teddy Weir wanted to run and later when James Stuart Murphy wanted promotion.

He was in no hurry, but this year came forward to take the nomination. He has been square in all his dealings the republicans say, and deserves the honor. The knowing ones are down on Cluer because of that Hildreth incident, when, it was said, he got Mr. Hildreth, a saddler at the city stables, discharged, in order to get his brother from the back districts a job. Besides, Cluer, they say, has not done anything to help the party since he got out of the council, and the city committee is "agin' him" on this account.

Major Rowell's candidacy, it is said, has considerable back of it, in the way of legislation in favor of the corporations next year. Knowing ones say that Major Rowell is not going to the legislature to represent Ward Two, but to tie a string that the corporations may pull around certain things.

So hot is the fight that the A. P. A. held a caucus last Thursday and made arrangements to submit a proposition to the republican city committee. It is that it shall be endorsed to the extent of representation by three members of this year's ward committee and two councilmen. The same proposition will be made from each ward to the city committee. An A. P. A. zealot predicted that if the proposition was refused, there would be the biggest political smash in years throughout the city.

The democrats may well hope that the republicans will continue to make the fur fly.

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There seems to be an impression among democrats that the Fifth congressional district can be carried only by a man who will draw largely from the republican ranks. This is a mistake. The district is solidly democratic and the man who can poll the full democratic strength can be elected. This is evidenced by Mr. Stevens' plurality of 1800 and by the vote received by Mr. Hyde, candidate for councillor against Luman T. Jefts in that portion of the councillor district which is included in the Fifth congressional district. The party should, therefore, go in for victory, put up a good fighting democrat, support him by every legitimate means and victory will be achieved.

This idea of a few men constituting themselves a delegation to ask any man whose democracy is in question, to become a candidate is all wrong.

The democrats need not go begging for a candidate. They have plenty of eligible men whose democracy is unquestioned, and it is not difficult to select one from the number who can go in and win.

It may be urged that when Mr. Greenhalge was a candidate in this district the result seemed to indicate a republican majority. That was due to Mr. Greenhalge's popularity in Lowell, although Lowell had then a democratic majority. Mr. Greenhalge carried the city by nearly 500 votes. If a popular democrat be nominated he will draw republican votes in this city and will poll a sweeping majority in Lawrence.

The democrats of Lawrence are willing to support a man from the Lowell end of the district, because they have had the choice of a candidate for the past few years.

The rumor that Lowell democrats solicited C. I. Hood to be a candidate is without foundation. Mr. Hood is a popular citizen, but unless he renounces republican principles and makes a full declaration of his faith in the principles of the democratic party, democrats would not vote for him. It should be understood that no coterie of individuals, no newspaper and no politician has the giving of the congressional nomination for the Fifth district. The democratic congressional convention alone has the nominating power and all that can be done outside of that body, is to suggest or recommend candidates for nomination. Many good men have been suggested but as yet it is difficult to say on whom democratic sentiment will centre for the honor of being nominated for the office. It may be that a new man will be discovered more acceptable to the rank and file of the democrats than any yet named. It seems that none of the men so far are anxious to enter the contest. Hon. George W. Fifield is deterred by his business from responding to the call, J. L. Chalifoux is unwilling to become a candidate. William F. Courtney, Esq., keeps a neutral attitude although he would make an ideal candidate and an able congressman.

Col. Parker, Hon. Jeremiah Crowley, Hon. E. M. Tucke and John C. Burke, Esq., are all either silent in regard to the selection of a candidate or in favor of somebody else than themselves. None of them manifest any desire to enter the field as a candidate. As to ex-Senator Bradley and Guy Currier of Lawrence it does not appear that there is any spontaneous demand for either so that as yet it seems that nobody can predict with any degree of certainty who will be the favorite candidate in the convention.

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It will be of interest to local republicans to learn that Curtis Guild, Jr., has already taken to the stump to sound the keynote of the campaign. It looks as if the "stalwarts" will run the mill this fall.

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Congressman Randall of Fall River, went to the governor, yesterday, to complain that Simpskins, his opponent, is favored by the Fall River police commission. He wants fair play, and Gov. Greenhalge said he would not let the commission interfere.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Thomas Grant took place yesterday afternoon from his late home on Willie street. The funeral cortege was an unusually large one, and among those who followed the remains to the grave were the employes of the Fifield Machine Co., where the deceased had worked for fifteen years, and which was closed during the afternoon out of respect to the memory of the deceased. The bearers were Messrs. James Shea, Patrick Barry, James Young, Chas. White, Timothy Cousin and John Robbins. The ushers were Messrs. Joseph Gormley, Edward F. Gormley, Thomas H. Muldoon and Peter Sheahan. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where services were conducted by Rev. Fr. Burke. Deceased was highly esteemed as a mechanic and citizen.

The funeral of Rose Donoboe occurred this morning from her late home on Pleasant street, and was very largely attended. The body was removed to the Immaculate Conception church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I. The choir of the church under the direction of Prof. Haggerty rendered Schmidt's requiem mass. The solo in the "De Profundis" was sung by Prof. Haggerty. The only floral offering was a sheaf of wheat. The bearers were Messrs. John McNeese, Thomas F. Garvey, A. E. Rountree, John Broadhurst, John Sullivan, and ex-Councilman Dolan. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I.

PERSONAL.

C. N. Woodward has gone to Dover, N. H.

Misses Abbie Watson and Annie Leach are in New York.

Rep. W. H. I. Hayes is in attendance at the G. A. R. encampment.

Mrs. Charles W. Swan has returned from Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Miss Lizzie Wright has gone to Cowansville, P. Q., her former home.

Charles McFarland and a party of friend are camping out at Lake Magog.

Mr. William Dailey of Boston has entered the employ of the Washington house proprietors.

Miss Bertha Spicer of South Loring street has returned from a visit to Manchester, N. H.

Miss Etta McDermott has been presented by her aunt with an elegant gold watch, as a birthday present.

Mr. P. A. Corcoran, the popular dry goods salesman, is with Cook, Taylor & Co., Merrimack street.

Mrs. Underwood of the Rogers hall school, arrived home yesterday, after a delightful trip through Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hastings leave next week for a sojourn at West New Portland and other resorts in Maine.

Mrs. Marshall and daughter, Ethel, of Marginal street, have returned from their vacation at West Windham, N. H.

The engagement of Miss Maud Hadley of the high school corps of teachers, and Mr. E. D. Steele was announced yesterday.

The engagement has been announced of Mr. Robert Wallis of New York and Miss Pauline Bergman of Boston, formerly of this city.

Commander J. G. Eaton, U. S. N., with his wife, is spending a few days at Mrs. Eaton's old home, the residence of W. P. Varnum, Esq.

M. Allen Johnson will return to Amherst college for a post-graduate course in history, political economy and psychology, while his brother, Dr. Herbert S. Johnson, returns as a master in the Lawrenceville academy.

John Drain, the well known dry goods dealer of Gorham street, has returned from Salisbury beach. This was the first vacation he had for years and he speaks glowingly of the fun he had and the sights he saw. He brought home relics of a ship wreck at the beach.

Mr. Guy H. Chase of Buffalo, N. Y., is on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Chase. He was on the train which met with a rear-end collision at Hoosac tunnel, Sunday, and was obliged to crawl out of a hole in the debris, unhurt, but not enjoying an undesired experience.

DEATHS.

Frederick, infant child of George H., and Louisa Hanley, died yesterday at their home, 62 Newhall street.

Charles, infant son of Thomas and Bridget Dailey, died yesterday at their home, 59 Chestnut street.

Lillian McGuirk, child of James and Margaret McGuirk, died last evening at their home, 79 Front street.

Ellen Scanlan, aged 71 years, died yesterday at her home, 4 Fox's yard, off Davidson street.

Mamie, infant daughter of John and Nellie Maguire, died last evening at their home, 40 John street.

James Green, infant son of William Green, died last evening at his home, 10 Pawnacket street.

Mary E. Niles, a native of Stillwater, N. Y., and widow of the late Norman Niles, died Sunday at her home in Dracut.

Orrin Hutchinson, a resident of Lowell for many years, died yesterday of consumption, at his home, 317 Chelmsford street, aged 73 years. He leaves one son C. C. Hutchinson of Utah, and one daughter, Mrs. T. Wright of this city.

George A. Roberts, wife of Warren Roberts, died yesterday at her late residence, 25 Read street, aged 42 years and 6 months after a long illness. Deceased was a member of the Paige street Free Baptist church and the order of the United Friends.

2 O'CLOCK

A BABY'S BODY WAS FOUND.

IT WAS PLACED IN A SHOE BOX AND THROWN INTO CANAL.

Inquest to Be Held to Determine If This Was a Case of Infanticide.

The body of a male infant, about 6 or 8 months old was found in the canal near Thompson's field, shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. An employe of the Locks & Canals Co., while engaged in some work about there, found a shoe box in the canal and upon examination learned that it contained the body of a male infant. Officer Buchanan was notified and he sent word to the police station and to Undertaker Brooks' who took charge of the body.

It is believed that the body was placed in the shoe box and thrown into the canal by the mother who wished to rid herself of her offspring and took this means of concealing her intention and identity.

QUIET FOLLOWS THE RUSH.

POLICE COURT WORE DESERTED LOOK THIS MORNING.

Number of Drunks was Small and Business was Quickly Disposed of—A Little Family Affair in Billerica.

Ten drunks after the army of yesterday.

Two who were new were released.

Albert Powlinski, or something like that is a Pole who came here from Springfield, and was arrested last night by Officer Dennett for drunkenness. When asked what he pleaded, Powlinski shrugged his shoulders and started off an unintelligible jargon. The court officers were losing patience with him when Reporter Sternberg came to the rescue and spouted off something in German which Powlinski understood. Then the two of them went at it and talked back and forth like a couple of Dutch school masters. It was Stern's first offence at interpreting, and barring a blush, he did very well. Powlinski said that he was not drunk but weak, having been without food for some time. He has a seven years old child in town somewhere. The court ordered Powlinski to be taken down stairs, given three square meals, and returned for sentence in the morning.

Kate Ireson, who is said to be a descendant of the famous skipper who rode through Marblehead, some little time ago, said that she turned around and got dizzy and was arrested. She was fined $2.

The case of Joseph Ryan, charged with assault, was continued until Saturday.

James McKinley, drunk, was sent to the workhouse for four months.

Mary J. Stack was sent to jail for six months.

Three young fellows pulled in as suspicious persons were dismissed.

Edward M. Leighton of Billerica, who is the happy possessor of a couple of handfuls of luxurious red whiskers, pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault on his wife, Martha. She said that he came home and not finding the dinner ready struck her and abused her. Leighton conducted his own case and on cross-examination asked his wife if she had ever been arrested, and she, getting quite red, admitted that she had been in jail at Concord, N. H., for throwing a coffee pot full of boiling coffee in a man's face. She did a year in jail for this, it is said. Leighton was fined the costs of the case and put under $100 bonds to keep the peace.

The hen poisoning case from Gilmanville was dismissed late yesterday afternoon.

Joseph Alcon was in court for alleged cruelty to a horse using turpentine on the animal to make it go.

DWIGHT L. MOODY.

To Be Invited to Conduct Evangelistic Services in This City During the Coming Winter.

The pastors and delegates of the evangelical churches of this city met in convention in Y. M. C. A. hall last evening to devise some means of introducing general revival work in this city during the winter. Rev. Dr. Seymour was chosen chairman and Rev. J. O. Campbell, secretary.

The roll-call showed about 75 delegates present, about 24 out of the 28 churches responding to the call.

Rev. C. L. Merriam offered prayer and then all joined in singing, "There shall be showers of blessings."

Dr. Seymour said that he had written Mr. Moody and asked him to come here and conduct revival services.

Mr. Moody replied it would be impossible. Then he called upon Mr. Moody and after considerable inquiry the latter consented to come providing it was the desire of all that he should do so.

Rev. E. T. Curnick then moved that it be the sense of the convention that revival services be held during the winter.

A. K. Whitcomb wanted to know when the meetings would be held and was informed that November was thought to be the proper time.

Rev. Mr. LeClair said his people wanted the service held right away.

Huntington hall was suggested as a suitable place for the meetings, but when Mr. Whitcomb said the Opera house has a larger seating capacity, the chairman remarked that "he would like nothing better than to take it and use it for the Lord."

The motion to hold revival services was then unanimously carried.

Rev. C. W. Huntington then moved to extend an invitation to Mr. Moody to visit Lowell and conduct the revival services to be held about two months hence under the auspices of the evangelical churches of the city, and the vote on this was also unanimous.

After prayer the convention adjourned.

Gov. Greenhalge's Program.

It is announced from republican state headquarters that after Oct. 6th Gov. Greenhalge will be under the direction of the state committee for campaigning purposes.

Will Marry Soon.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today:

Joseph H. Cyr, Westford, 28, to Sophia E. Brussand 23.

William J. Lavarriere 23, to Matilda Parriere 20.

Rev. Fr. Burns, O. M. I., at Home.

Rev. Fr. Burns, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church arrived home from his European trip yesterday. His health is greatly improved.

THE FAIR OPENS.

Big Receipts of Farm Produce and Other Exhibits at the Fair Grounds Today.

Today the exhibits in farm produce are being received at the fair grounds for the Middlesex North agricultural fair. To-morrow the livestock will be received and the fair formally opened. There seems to be less interest than usual in the fair, and excepting horse-trotting the last three days of the week the programme has no special features. Mr. Asa Clements will be missed to lead the procession of farmers' daughters—the pride of Middlesex county—at the harvest dinner, Thursday.

The South Middlesex fair at So. Framingham buts against the fair in this city, and Gov. Greenhalge will visit there Thursday, but not in Lowell.

SPEAK-EASY BUSINESS.

Reputable Druggists Indignant that Liquor Selling on Sunday in the Suburbs is not Stopped.

Reputable druggists down town are complaining that speak easies flourish in some of the pharmacies. One of the druggists said that he had heard that one so called druggist sold 60 cases of lager a week ago Sunday, and five men were needed to do the business, their meals being brought in to them.

Last Sunday, the same place was packed with customers at several times during the day, and the proprietor's dinner was seen going into the pharmacy on a tray.

Trouble at the Barracks.

THE SUN yesterday mentioned a communication from a subscriber in which the latter claimed that a boy was roughly used by the Salvation Army people at their barracks Saturday night, and the Mail this morning had a story of a robbery committed there on Saturday night, when six toughs, it alleges set upon the sergeant who was selling the War Cry and robbed him of 75 cents. If both rows occurred the barracks must have been a lively place that night, and certainly was very inviting to the new captain and his wife.

The Commissioner's First Report.

The license commission has sent in its first official report to Mayor Pickman. It contains nothing of importance for the commissioners have had no chance of doing much of anything up to the present time. They alluded to their visit to Worcester, and gave a list of the transfers made.

The license commissioners of Worcester accompanied by the mayor of that city come here today.

Will Use the Lincoln School.

The class which occupied the overflow room in the vestry of the Chelmsford street Free Baptist church has been removed to the new Lincoln school by Supt. Whitcomb.

No flagstaff has been placed on the new school yet.

The school is finished throughout with adjustable seats and desks.

LOCAL NOTES.

Miss Etta Hill has returned from Falmouth Heights.

The committee on school houses and hygiene inspected the Lincoln school yesterday.

The Bothnia with a number of Lowell passengers arrived safely at Queenstown at 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

If your grain bin is like your coal bin, low, and you want to replenish it give John Cosgrove of 378 Merrimack street, an order for grain or hay. The best goods, weight guaranteed, at the lowest market prices.

War in China.

Doesn't change the price on our Teas. Notice the samples in one of our show windows. Our Eagle chop Formosa at 50c., no presents, beats the world. The U. S. Tea Co. Lowell.

Captain Crosby's Explanation.

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 11.—The tug Bismarck, from down river, had on board Captain Crosby and the mate of the English steamer Baron Belhaven, which skipped for sea Sunday afternoon without clearing from the custom house. The steamer went aground near Prospect, and was found by the revenue cutter Woodbury, which had been sent in chase of her. The captain says he was drunk and did not know what he was doing when he sailed away.

A Freak of Nature.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Rev. E. C. Towne reports that during a thunder storm a large ball of fire fell in a vacant lot in Austin. A hole several feet in diameter and of considerable depth was left in the ground, and the earth for 20 feet around was cracked.

A Close Call.

BESSEMER, Mich., Sept. 11.—The entire city fire department and several hundred citizens were fighting fire all night near the Gogebic powder mill. Had the fire reached the mill the entire city would have been demolished and hundreds of lives lost.

Waiting For a Raise.

SUNCOOK, N. H., Sept. 11.—The Pembroke, Webster and China mills opened their gates yesterday and gave their help a chance to go in; but the strikers say they will not go back until prices are raised or until Fall River raises wages.

On the Old Scale.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Sept. 11.—There is no change in the strike situation, except that the City mill started up yesterday. The usual number of help employed in this mill returned to work at the old rate of wages.

Shot Her Friend.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Sept. 11.—Miss Mary Callahan of Walnut Grove accidentally shot Miss Flora Marsh, a schoolmate, in the head. The girl died shortly afterward without regaining consciousness.

Up Another Point.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 11.—The print cloth market raised a point yesterday, 50,000 pieces being sold at 3 cents, with the market firm at that price. Mills were moderate sellers.

Vacation Ended.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—United States Ambassador Bayard has returned from the Mediterranean, where he has been enjoying a trip on board the steam yacht Electra.

Report Was Probably Untrue.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 11.—Nothing is known here concerning a massacre of a government surveying party in this vicinity, as reported from San Francisco.

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HAY AND GRAIN

Best Quality at Lowest Prices.

478 Merrimack St.

GRAND ARMY MEN

Made a Grand Showing in Pittsburg.

A LIVELY FIGHT FOR CHOICE OF COMMANDER.

Four Prominent Candidates For Jack Adams' Place.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 11.—The ninth annual convention of naval veterans was held in the room of the Alleghany County Bar association yesterday afternoon. There were 200 delegates present. Rear Admiral Osborn presided. His annual report showed a very encouraging condition of affairs, notwithstanding the defalcation of the fleet's paymaster last year.

When the Indianapolis convention adjourned there was not a dollar in the treasury and the association was heavily in debt. During the past year all the old accounts has been settled, as well as all bills of the present administration. In closing, Rear Admiral Osborn stated that having served four terms he would like to be relieved of the duties of his office.

National Secretary Bostwick's report showed that charters had been issued to seven local associations during the year in the cities of Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Boston, Annapolis, Md.; Lowell, Mass., and Rockford, Ills.

Second Vice President Allen of the northern Ohio department proposed a resolution asking congress at its next session to so amend the laws regarding enlisted men in the navy that those competent may aspire to higher positions. The resolution was supported by the shipmates, and it was decided to memorialize congress. As the laws stand, enlisted men cannot rise above the rank of warrant officers.

After the reading of reports and presentation of a large number of resolutions, which were referred, Francis Ball of Hartford was elected commander.

The "tars" brought their day to a close by holding a "dog watch" in old city hall last night. The hall was magnificently decorated in nautical decorations and patriotic colors. A number of distinguished speakers were present.

The Parade.

Nearly 1000 ex-seamen, representing some 8000 members scattered over the country, participated in the annual parade. It was the largest turnout and the finest in point of appearance in the history of the organization.

Each member was expected to report in his best mustering uniform, with new, clean badge, ribbons and white gloves, and after the critical eye of Rear Admiral Osborn had swept over each division, from the head to the rear of the column, he declared with pride that his comrades could not have gotten themselves into better trim, even if they had been still in active service.

A Grand Reception.

The social event of the day was a reception by Mrs. George Westinghouse at her suburban residence. Solitude, given to the visiting ladies. Some of the guests who have attended similar affairs pronounce this the most gorgeous ever seen. The flower decorations were the finest ever seen in this city. Henry Watterson, ex-Governor Beaver and all of the prominent national officers of the Grand Army were present.

Many reunions were held during the day and evening by members of different regiments, and many were the reminiscences exchanged.

One of the features of the first day of the encampment was the performance of Fred Ennis' new composition of "War and Peace" at the exposition. This musical spectacle, dedicated to the encampment, was given by the Thirteenth Regiment band of New York, a grand chorus of 400 voices, a company from the Pennsylvania National Guard, Ransom Post, No. 800, of St. Louis, and a battery of artillery, all under the direction of the composer. There were about 20,000 people present.

Lively Politics.

Canvassing has been going on briskly in all directions in connection with the Grand Army. Of the four candidates for the office of commander-in-chief, each has a pretty strong backing among the delegates to encampment. John Long of Michigan has an enthusiastic following, but the friends of Colonel Lawler of Illinois claim to have almost all the northwestern states behind him, while the supporters of Colonel Walker of Indiana assert that they have promises enough to carry him through. The Texas aspirant, John D. Bigger, also has plenty of friends who are confident of his ability to win.

Louisville and St. Paul are making a strong fight between them for the next encampment. The Louisville delegation, however, claim to have promises enough from the various departments to result in a majority of the national delegates voting in favor of that city. Kansas City is also pushing her claims for recognition.

Throughout the day and evening numerous reunions were held in different parts of the city.

The sidewalks are inadquate to accommodate the throngs along them in the streets. The street cars and vehicles are almost blockaded. Taken altogether, Pittsburg has never before enjoyed such a state of animation. Innumerable bands marched through the streets last night, serenading the newspapers and prominent people.

Ready For the Grave.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The coffin containing the remains of the Count of Paris was yesterday sealed in the presence of the members of the count's family. The scene was a most touching one. The coffin was today placed in the marble salon of Stowe house, and the public was again permitted to view the casket.

A New Organization.

DENVER, Sept. 11.—Two hundred delegates opened the national convention of the Traveling Engineers' association here today. The association is a new and secret organization, whose object is to improve the locomotive engineer service of American railways.

Revenge by Poisoning.

PIEDMONT, Ala., Sept. 11.—Two members of the family of Ed S. Downes have died from drinking water out of a poisoned well, while two more are not expected to recover. A discharged servant is suspected of the crime.

Corset Stays Saved Her.

RICHMOND, Ky., Sept. 11.—At the Mt Pleasant Christian church William Sixsmith shot at the organist, Mrs. Jones. Her corset stays saved her life. Sixsmith escaped. No cause is known for the attempted murder.

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By Associated Press to THE SUN.

MANCHESTER, Sept. 10.—A severe electric storm struck this city at noon. Lightning was incessant, and St. James' church was struck and the tower shattered, while the ball of fire went through the edifice. The streets were flooded and much damage done.

Storm in Amesbury.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

AMESBURY, Sept. 10.—There was a cloud burst here at noon, causing great damage and flooding streets. Trees were uprooted and buildings damaged.

STRIKERS WILL WIN.

Predictions For the Outcome of New Bedford's Troubles.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW BEDFORD, Sept. 10.—Sec'y Connolly of the Carders and Pickers association states today that on high authority he learns that the Towamska mills will resume Monday on the old scale. If this is done all the cloth mills will start.

MINE EXPLOSION.

Ninety-Nine Miners Escaped, But the Superintendent Is Lost.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 10.—An explosion occurred today in No. 4 slope of the Pennsylvania Coal company's mine at Pittston. Ninety-nine miners were rescued, but Supt. Bryden is entombed.

A NASHUA SENSATION

In Which it is Thought an Insane Woman Murdered Two Children.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NASHUA, N. H., Sept. 10.—City Marshal Eaton is in receipt of a letter from Lina A. Herbert, who is in an asylum, in which she confesses to murdering two children of Mrs. E. W. Walker of this city 14 years ago. An investigation is now going on.

LATEST BY WIRE.

Dalton, Ohio, was devastated by fire today, 50 houses being burned, loss $200,000.

There is no change in the Fall River mill situation.

The truce made by the Irish Nationalists at a meeting in Boston, Aug. 1894, for ten years, so as not to interfere with parliamentary action, is declared off by Hugh Tyrrell of Pawtucket, R. I.

Lowell Boy Preached Yesterday.

Rev. Phillip Lee of Worcester, brother of Miss Lee, the school teacher, and a former Lowell boy, celebrated the nine o'clock mass at St. Peter's church yesterday forenoon. He preached an eloquent and instructive sermon on the gospel of St. Mathew, xxii., 34-40: "The first and greatest commandment" — Feast of the Holy Name of Mary. The sermon was finely delivered showing that Fr. Lee will some day make a brilliant reputation as a pulpit preacher.

Here's Real Kindness.

Miss Sarah H. Cahill, the well known milliner, will Tuesday give her annual outing to the orphans of St. Peter's orphan asylum at Mountain Rock grove. Miss Cahill bears all the expense of the outing and her kind act is worthy of being followed by more people in this city, especially those who have plenty and to spare of this world's goods.

Will Wish Her Happiness.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Walter Haynes of Cambridge and Miss Ruth Blackburn, daughter of the Rev. Alexander Blackburn, formerly of this city.

The Congressional Committee.

There will be a meeting of the Fifth Congressional district committee at the office of John J. Hogan, Esq., Central block, Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

Some Late Locals.

John T. Mahan of Lawrence was arrested here today for alleged larceny of wearing apparel from Fred A. Stowell.

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ON MAYOR GILROY'S return from Europe, the Tammany chiefs will decide upon a candidate to head the municipal ticket.

THE FIREMAN'S HAIL felicitates itself on an increasing subscription list despite the dull times. It may reasonably be expected to prosper in good times.

THE SUDDEN advance in the price of print cloths should give an impetus to the textile business. With higher prices the mills should be able to pay higher wages.

SOMETHING should be done to relieve the cemeterial aspect of the city hall grounds. It is not intended as a burial ground for officially decapitated politicians.

THAT BRAINTREE officer who shot a railway official by mistaking him for a thief, should get a leather medal. Some policemen are courageous when no danger is nigh.

MRS. CUSHING, who testified against Sergt. Sheehan of Boston, has been raided. It is plain that if she paid for police protection there is a breach of agreement on the part of the police.

A NEW style of coffin has been invented with inside spring arrangement by which the corpse can open the door and step out if he or she sees fit. There is no telling where the ingenuity of man will stay its inventive progress.

JERRY SULLIVAN of Lawrence is much interested in the congressional contest in the fifth district, although he has not discovered any new candidate. He says he wants to see the right man nominated, whosoever that may be.

AS A result of the first pay day after the reopening of the mills, the number of drunks Saturday night was beyond the usual number. For hundreds of men it was the first occasion for many moons when they had the money to pay for a drink.

GOV. MCKINLEY must oppose T. B. Reed at a disadvantage in Maine. They are both presidential candidates, and the pharisaical McKinley comes to Maine ostensibly to aid in rolling up a big republican victory, but in reality to take prestige that might redound to Reed alone.

DR. S. L. WARD suggests the formation of a taxpayers' league for the purpose of reducing the tax rate. The suggestion is a good one, as a body of taxpayers could occasionally give their views upon proposed expenditures, and in many cases defeat schemes projected by speculators for the benefit of private concerns. By all means let us have a taxpayers' league.

THERE IS some hard work before the democratic city committee this year in swelling the list of voters in lieu of those dropped. About 1200 names were dropped and it will require hard and persistent work to get as many registered. Mr. Sullivan at the democratic headquarters together with some of the most effective workers are engaged upon the work and are having much success. There is a prospect that there will be a good round majority of democrats on the list when registration closes.

THE UNEMPLOYED IN MASSACHUSETTS.

Horace G. Wadlin in the 24th annual report of labor statistics throws some light on the question of the unemployed in Massachusetts.

It appears from the tables showing the average number of days in which the various industries were operated in 1892 and 1893, that in three only was the average larger last year than in 1892. Carpet industries showed the greatest decrease, having fallen off from 263 to 247 days.

The table includes 4397 different kinds of industry. In commenting upon the number of unemployed, Mr. Hamlin shows that if but one man were dropped from each of these industries the number would be 4397, if ten were dropped from each it would be 43,970 and so on. If the industries of the country were considered it would not be difficult thus to account for the entire army of unemployed numbering millions.

It is quite probable that Mr. Hamlin's report for the present year will shed more light on the causes of unemployment than will the report of the state commission appointed to investigate the causes.

THE CONDITION of our streets is not what it should be. Many of the streets are muddy and full of holes so that pedestrians are in danger of accident. The street committee alone is responsible because had Supt. Crowley been given sufficient funds he would have kept all the streets as they should be. The money has been expended on the boulevard and on First street rather than upon the streets which bear the greatest traffic from day to day. A street patrol should be provided for the purpose of driving along the streets and filling any hole or unevenness likely to inconvenience travellers. Two men with a load of broken stone or gravel continually searching for defects in the streets would remedy much of the evils complained of and keep the streets in a uniformly good condition.

CHINA is offering great inducement to men to enter the army. The sum of $100 a month and the guaranteed of $5000 in case of death, is an enormous sum as money goes in China. Yet this is insufficient to induce Chinamen to run any great risk. If Japan keeps on killing the Celestials, the Chinese national debt will be large enough to impoverize the whole nation.

THE DEMOCRATS of the first New Hampshire district have nominated John B. Nash the "Fog Horn of Conway" for congress and Cy Sulloway the "Tall Pine of the Merrimack" has been nominated by the republicans. A joint debate between the two is called for. It is believed that from an eminence both men can be heard over their entire district.

HERE is good advice from the Haverhill Gazette: "Young men, keep clear of secret, proscriptive organizations. Some smart chap will get the list of names and sell it to the managers of both parties, then you will feel the blight of your political aspirations. If you doubt this statement, ask some old know-nothing of 1855-58."

THROUGH THE kinetograph the public can witness a diminutive representation of a six round fight between Corbett and Courtney as true to life as anything could be. Every movement is photographed and reproduced as continuously as is the tunes on the phonograph. It is a wonderful machine.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

As They Talk In Chicago.

It would puzzle a stranger to judge of the conversational abilities of Chicago men by the chat which usually follows a meeting of friends on the street. This is one chat taken verbatim:

"Hello, old man!"

"Hello yourself. How's tricks?"

"Oh, so, so; can't kick. How's things coming with you?"

"Right along. Haven't seen you for a month. How you taking it?"

"Easy. Anything new with you?"

"Not a thing. Same old song. Well, so long."

"So long. Take care of yourself."

One of the men was a bank president, the other a wholesale dry goods merchant.

A board of trade leader met a prominent insurance manager. Both are well read men, of wide information and are accounted good after dinner speakers. It was:

"Hello, old man!"

"Hello, Billy. How's tricks?"

"Nothing extra; about the same. How's the world using you?"

"Can't kick in these times. How's your conduct?"

"Same as usual. Anything new up your way?"

"Not a thing. Same old song. Going my way?"

"No. So long."

"Well, so long. Look out for yourself."

A Dearborn street lawyer met a LaSalle street lawyer. They are high in legal circles, have a fine standing in court and are cultivated, refined gentlemen. It was:

"Hello, old man!"

"Why, hello. How are you?"

"First class. How's your corporosity?"

"Haven't a word to say. Business good?"

"Some coming in. Nothing to brag of. How's the world using you?"

"Can't complain. Don't see much of you. What's new with you?"

"Nothing. Same thing as usual. How's it coming with you?"

"So so. Getting a living. Well, so long, old man. I'll see you later."

"So long. Take care of yourself."

"Sure!"—Chicago Record.

The Refuge of the Destitute.

"They tell me Jones is a complete failure."

"That's what!"

"Tried tariffin?"

"Yes."

"Air politics?"

"Yes."

"Air preachin?"

"Yes."

"Air schoolteachin?"

"Yes."

"Air failed in all?"

"Yes."

"Well, what's he doin now?"

"He's a-editin of a newspaper!"—Atlanta Constitution.

A Purpose In View.

"I wish you would tell Bloomfield a startling story," said Gaswell to Dukane.

"Why?"

"He has been eating onions, and I would like you to tell him something which would fairly take his breath away."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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Her Husband—Well, yes. But I've just made my will, and I don't want any lawyer to use them as proof of my insanity when I'm dead and gone.—New York Herald.

A Good Record.

A father of some marriageable daughters not far from here had occasion to have a sofa upholstered, and here is a list of what was found between the back and cushion: Forty-seven hairpins, 19 suspender buttons, 8 mustache combs, 13 needles, 35 cigarettes, 8 photographs, 217 pins, 76 grains of coffee, 46 cloves, 27 cuff buttons, 6 pocketknives, 15 poker chips, a vial of homeopathetic medicine, 34 lumps of chewing gum, 50 toothpicks, 28 matches, 39 collar buttons, 11 neckties, 2 love letters, a few pieces of candy, 2 dimes, 3 quarters, 1 nickel, 8 buckles, 5 lead pencils, 1 pen and 4 buttonhooks.—Mount Vernon Argus.

Anticipatory.

Clerk (of summer hotel pleasantly)—Do you know any one in the house, sir?

Castleton—My fiancee is here.

Clerk—Indeed. Which young lady might that be?

Castleton—I don't know. I haven't met her yet.—New York Sun.

Did Him a Distinct Favor.

Miss Maunders—He proposed, but I refused to marry him.

Miss Caustique—Oh, you noble, generous girl! You're always doing some kindness for other people.—Chicago Record.

A Dangerous Remedy.

Van Ishe—So the doctors held a consultation about your case?

Doolittle—Yes, and I believe they decided by a two-thirds vote to amend my constitution.—New York World.

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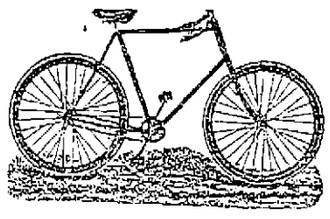

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BIG DECLINE IN CORN CROPS.

MILLIONS OF ACRES CUT FOR FODDER.

The Wheat Crop is Very Large—Statistics of Other Crops in the United States.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The report of the statistician of the department of agriculture for the month of September shows a decline in the condition of corn to 63.4 from 69.1 in the month of August, and 95 in the month of July. This is a decline of 5.7 points from the month of August and 31.6 from the July condition. The change is marked in nearly all of the great corn states.

The present condition is 75 in Kentucky, 70 in Ohio, 55 in Michigan, 80 in Indiana, 78 in Illinois, 61 in Wisconsin, 60 in Minnesota, 40 in Iowa, 30 in Missouri, 45 in Kansas, 15 in Nebraska and 16 in South Dakota. In most of the southern states the condition has risen and a good crop is certain.

In addition to the unfavorable prospects arising from the low condition of the growing crop, reports from eight states, viz: Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and South Dakota, in response to a special inquiry, show that out of an aggregate of 40,873,984 acres planted in these states there have been cut up for fodder or abandoned 15,500,000 acres, or 38 per cent, which is a little over 20 per cent of the entire area planted in the country.

The percentage of that cut up or abandoned by states reporting is as follows: Indiana, 8; Illinois, 10; Wisconsin, 21; Iowa, 35; Missouri, 16; Kansas, 51; Nebraska, 51; South Dakota, 81.

Wheat.

The condition of wheat, considering both winter and spring varieties when harvested, was 83.7, against 74 last year and 85.3 in 1892.

The reported conditions from the correspondents for the principal wheat-growing states are as follows: Ohio, 102; Michigan, 91; Indiana, 103; Illinois, 101; Wisconsin, 92; Minnesota, 94; Iowa, 92; Missouri, 91; Kansas, 58.1; Nebraska, 40; South Dakota, 32; North Dakota, 74; California, 88; Oregon, 88; Washington, 67; New York, 86; Pennsylvania, 91; Maryland, 98; Virginia, 78; Tennessee, 78; West Virginia, 93; Kentucky, 92; Texas, 92.

In the principal wheat states there has been considerable improvement in conditions in July report in parts of the wheat region. The crop is fully up to expectation, and in other parts the yield has exceeded expectation. The average condition of oats is reported at 77.6, against 76.5 Aug. 1, 77.7 on July 1 and 87 June 1.

Rye and Barley.

The returns for rye show an average condition of 96.9, against 88 a year ago.

The condition of barley has risen nearly 2 points during the month, the September average standing at 71.5, against 60.8 in August.

There is a decline in September conditions of buckwheat of 12½ points from that of August, the general average being 69.2, against 77.5 last year.

The area under clover seed is reported at 71.9 of that of 1893. The condition is given as 69.2, which is much below the average, thus indicating a very short crop.

The general average of condition for rice is 89.49.

The average condition of apples has fallen during last month from 44 to 40.8.

The condition of peaches is 21.1; potatoes, 62.4, a decline of 13 points since last month.

The condition of tobacco is 74.5, against 75.9 last month.

Was Probably Insane.

LANESBORO, Mass., Sept. 11.—The Mack barn was burned yesterday. Later, the dead body of George Hall, 70 years old, was hanging in a room in which he lived alone. In a temporary fit of insanity Hall probably set fire to the barn and then took his own life. Hall had been postmaster of Lanesboro and was well known hereabouts.

His Side Torn Open.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—William H. Clegg, in the employ of the Globe Nickel Plating company, was standing on a ladder adjusting a belt to a pulley. He lost his balance and fell, and in his descent struck on a tube. His side was torn open and he was badly cut. It is thought that he will die from his injuries.

Left New Haven Behind.

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 11.—Horace L. Carter has skipped town, taking with him, it is alleged, an amount of money, estimated all the way from $32 to $250. Carter was grand marshal of the industrial procession Labor day, and the money was part of that with which it was intended to defray expenses.

A Blunder Corrected.

OTTAWA, Sept. 11.—The admiral on the Esquimalt station has recognized that the commander of H. M. S. Pheasant made a blunder when he took from a United States man-of-war the sealing schooner Wanderer in Behring sea a short time ago. The admiral has released the schooner.

Held in $5000 Bonds.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Sept. 11.—Tower Operator Hodgkins, charged with causing the wreck in the Hoosac Tunnel, has been placed under $5000 bonds for trial on a charge of manslaughter. Brakeman Frazer, who was injured in the wreck, died yesterday.

The Law Was Broken.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 11.—It is now known definitely that Judge Depue will charge the grand jury to find indictments against Corbett and Courtney, who fought a six-round contest at Edison's laboratory before the camera of the kinetoscope.

Let the Good Work Go On.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—There was a general resumption in the glass business in South Jersey yesterday. Millville, Clayton, Williamstown, Glassboro, Malaga, Bridgeton and Woodbury factories all went into full blast.

His Health Is Failing.

QUEBEC, Sept. 11.—Cardinal Taschereau has resigned the archbishopric of Quebec, owing to failing health. Mgr. Begin, his coadjutor, will assume the work.

Partially Destroyed by Fire.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 11.—The business portion of Sidney was burned. Loss, $50,000.

Haven't Amalgamated.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The Central Labor union last night effected permanent organization as a political party, but no definite action was taken toward merging their forces with the People's party, which was strongly urged.

Brush Fires Only.

DULUTH, Sept. 11.—There are now no serious fires on any lines near here except the Northern Pacific. The fires around Barnum were chiefly in the brush, and were not dangerous.

The Battle at Kilwa.

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—It is officially announced that the tribesmen who attacked the German port of Kilwa off the East African coast have been repulsed.

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION

Of Yesterday.

TWO MEN DEAD

They Lost Their Lives by Sewer Gas.

THIRD MAN RESCUED THE TWO BODIES.

Fearful Tragedy in Newport, R. I., Today.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 10.—Charles Johnson, a Swede, while cleaning out a deep vault, was overcome by sewer gas. George H. Underwood went down to find him, and staid down so long that he too was overcome and became unconscious.

James Farrell went down to investigate, and rescued both bodies before being overcome himself. Johnson and Underwood are dead, but Farrell will recover.

MIDDLESEX SUPERIOR COURT

CAME IN AT NOON IN THE MOVING COURT HOUSE.

Toy vs. U. S. Cartridge Company Being Tried Once Again—Short Docket Called and Jurors Impanelled.

The September sitting of the Middlesex county Superior court, civil session, opened this noon at the court house on Gorham street. Judge Blodgett presided, and the opening prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Huntington of the High street church.

After the juries had been impanelled the first ten cases on the docket were called and disposed of as follows: Canat vs. Wachusetts Mutual Fire Insurance company, Forbes for plaintiff, Batchelder for defendant, set for September 24; same vs. Fitchburg Fire Insurance company, Norcross for plaintiff, E. Barker for defendant, Sept. 24; Clark Manufacturing company vs. Davey & Ring, Carver and Blodgett for plaintiff, John Davis for defendant, postponed; Farrar vs. Howard, Phillips and Forbes and Alger, Sept. 22; Walker et al. vs. Cawley, Richardson and Pratt & Quinn, October 1st; Streeter rep. vs. Guillet, Poore and Guillet struck off owing to the demise of plaintiff, Barnes vs. Smith, Marshall, Burke & Marshall and J. J. Harvey continued; Bourke pro ami vs Stiles, Guillet and Pratt & Quinn Sept. 24, and the case of Toy vs. U. S. Cartridge Co., was put on trial, P. J. Hoar appears for the plaintiff and Marshall, Burke & Marshall for the defendants. This case has been in court before. The damages claimed are $50,000 for loss of an eye. After reading the list the court adjourned until tomorrow morning; the first jury visiting the scene of the alleged accident.

The juries are:

First jury: Lewis C. Dane, Westford; foreman; Sumner Adams, Groton; George W. Buck, Wilmington; Edward P. Carr, Woburn; Henry H. Carter, Marlborough; Charles M. Cheeney, Reading; Arthur H. Coney, Westford; James Dwyer, Lowell; Charles H. Fitzgerald, Tewksbury; Patrick Fitzgerald, Lowell; George Forbrush; Framingham; Charles C. Gerry, Sudbury.

Second jury, Fitz H. Thosman, No. Reading, foreman; Herbert Holden, Shirley; Milton J. Holt, Wilmington; Winslow B. Howe, Marlborough; Edwin Harvey, Dracut; Thomas J. Harvey, Townsend; John W. Keenan, Lowell; Patrick O'Connor, Lowell; John W. Parker, Groton; Winslow S. Parker, Pepperell; Marcellus A. Patten, Tewksbury; (excused two days), Oula A. Perham, Tyngsboro.

The supernumeraries are Charles M. Proctor, Townsend; Dexter A. Proctor, Tyngsboro; Frank J. Simonds, Lowell; Elisha D. Stone, Ayer; Alden A. Farrell, Pepperell; Austin U. Tucker, Framingham; Wallace F. Upton, No. Reading; Nicholas L. Warren, Shirley; John H. Whitcomb, Ayer; Octavus N. Willis, Reading.

BILLY PLIMMER'S WIFE

Suicided by Inhaling Gas at Coney Island.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CONEY ISLAND, Sept. 10.—Emma Ennman, the civil law wife of Billy Plimmer, the champion feather weight, suicided at the Coney Island house today by inhaling gas.

STRIKE IN FITCHBURG.

Parkhill Company's Men Go Out Against a Reduction.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

FITCHBURG, Sept. 10.—The biggest strike in the city's history occurred this morning, when the Parkhill employes went out against a general reduction of from 5 to 7 per cent.

OFFICER MICHAEL LENNON

May Get Into Trouble Today or Tomorrow Over An Alleged Illegal Arrest.

It is reported that Officer Lennon may be arrested today or tomorrow, under a new law, for making an illegal arrest, in connection with the case of Joseph O. Richard, the drugist who paid a fine of $100 in court Saturday, for violating the law.

A Pile of Trap Rock.

A heap of Salem trap rock in front of the city hall is an object lesson to hundreds. The rock quarried on Fletcher street now is said to be harder.

DEATHS.

Mathew Sullivan, aged 21 years, son of Timothy and Julia Sullivan, died Sunday morning at their home, 53 Willie street.

George H. Gulliland, aged 30 years, son of Alex. Gulliland, died yesterday at his home in Tewksbury.

Martha Platt, 71 years, died yesterday at the home of her son-in-law, John W. Pead, 33 Anne street.

Charlotte E., wife of Prof. Durfee of Geneva, N. Y., died yesterday at the home of W. H. McDaniels, No. Tewksbury. The funeral from the house Tuesday at 2 p. m.

Rose A. Donohue, aged 57 years, died last evening at her home, 50 Pleasant street. The funeral will take place from the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Thomas Grant, aged 60 years, died at his home, 34 Willie street, Saturday evening. He was a machinist by trade and had been in ex-Mayor Fifield's employ previous to his illness. He is survived by three daughters and one son, and has resided in Lowell about 40 years.

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Carlos Hazen Dead.

Carlos Hazen, whose home was on Fourth street, died at the Concord asylum on Thursday. His insanity followed a runaway accident and concussion of the brain. He was insured for $10,000 in the Golden Cross. He was formerly with Mr. Metcalf in the insurance business. His funeral occurred at West Bradford, Vt., yesterday.

Police Were Not Informed.

A correspondent writes to THE SUN that a boy was brutally treated at the Salvation Army barracks, Saturday night, while trying to get in without the price of a War Cry. The correspondent writes that an officer was sent for afterward. A reporter inquired at the police station but nothing was known there of the case.

Camp Meeting's Over.

The big jumbo electrics went to Lakeview this morning to bring into town the Adventists who have been at Mountain Rock for 10 days. The last service was this morning. Twenty converts were baptized in the pond yesterday morning by Elders Frield and Cottrell.

Walter Perkins Won.

Walter B. Perkins of Providence, formerly of Lowell, again won the Lawrence Canoe club paddling trophy at that club's regatta, Saturday. Mr. Perkins still wears the Vesper colors. He was in this city yesterday.

Pigeons Reach Home Today.

The carrier pigeons released by Thomas McGinn on the Cephalonia yesterday reached home today. On them was a note "All well, 8 bells: distance 400 miles."

The Curbing Does It.

City hall lot at present looks like a cemetery. To complete the picture green turf and headstones are needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel S. O'Brien have returned from their wedding trip, and have taken up their residence on Marginal street. Mr. O'Brien returned to Putnam & Son's, this morning, where he will be pleased to meet his friends.

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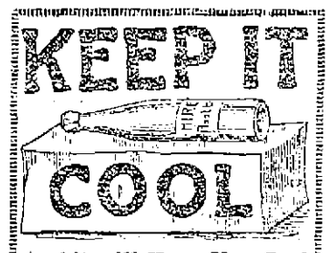

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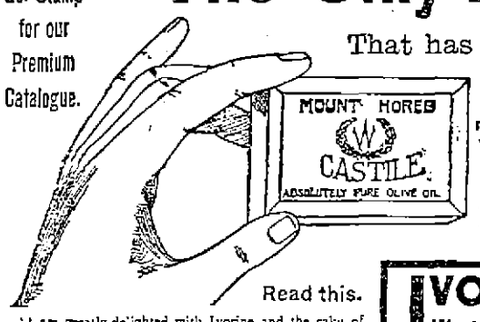

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PROVIDENCE, Sept. 11.—A girl baby that weighed but one pound was born at Crescent Park Labor day, and is still alive. The child was prematurely born and was immediately placed under incubator treatment. As a result she now weighs two pounds, and the chords of the mouth and throat, which were not sufficiently developed to permit eating, have improved. The parents of the child are Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Brien of Fall River, Mass.

Expulsion of a Prominent Turfman.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Turfman Monros Salisbury was yesterday expelled from the trotting turf by the judges of the postponed 2:16 race, which brought the grand circuit trotting meeting to a close. The offense for which this severe measure was meted out as punishment was Mr. Salisbury's alleged removal of the trotting mare Expressive from the Fleetwood track without the permission of the judges.

Emperors Are For Peace.

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—Dr. Witte, Russian minister of finance, says that the czar desires to be at peace with the whole world. It is a great mistake, Dr. Witte adds, to suppose that Russia is disposed to violate peace for the sake of France, and it is lamentable that the armaments of the nations continue to be enlarged, when the emperors of Russia, Germany and Austria desire peace.

Dangerous Wreck Marked.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The lighthouse board has issued a notice that on Sept. 7 a gaslighted buoy painted black and showing a fixed white light was moored to mark the dangerous wreck of the schooner Mary J. Castner, recently sunk between Pollock Rip and Chatham, Mass.

Quite an Increase.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The annual report of the second controller of the currency shows that the total number of accounts, claims and cases settled during the fiscal year ending June 30 last involved $280,692,602, an increase in the last fiscal year of $74,000,000.

No Corruption, Says Gilroy.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Mayor Gilroy has returned from his European trip. To a reporter he said regarding the reform meeting held last week: "I tell you there is nothing to reform. I know that corruption does not exist in the municipal government."

Can't Pay Dividends.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Justice O'Brien has appointed James W. Gerard referee to pass upon the petition of the Liberty Insurance company for a voluntary dissolution. The company was organized in 1887. No dividends have been paid since 1891.

Struck a Church Spire.

DEERFIELD, Mass., Sept. 11.—During a storm yesterday afternoon the spire of the Unitarian church was struck by lightning and badly damaged.

Fish Don't Bite.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., Sept. 11.—Messrs. Cleveland, Lamont and Bryant fished all day yesterday with indifferent luck.

THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PLUMBERS

Will hold examinations at the office of the Lowell board of health at city hall, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, Sept. 10, 12 and 14, at 4 o'clock p. m., of applicants who were not engaged in or working at the business of plumbing, either as a master or employing plumber, or as a journeyman plumber, as the case may be, prior to the tenth day of July, in the year 1893, and desiring to engage in or work at said business, either as a master or employing plumber, within the city of Lowell.

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Misses' and Children's Oxford Ties, 45c.
Children's Russet Boots, our own make, 40c.
50 pairs of Low Bicycle Shoes, former price $1.50, our price $1.
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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR TODAY, SEPT. 11.

SUN RISES.....5 20 | MOON SETS.....1 24 A.
SUN SETS.....6 01 | FULL SEA { 9 00 A.
LENGTH OF DAY..12 41 | { 9 00 P.

Forecast for New England: Fair, preceded by showers in northern parts of Maine; cooler, except stationary temperature in the vicinity of Eastport; westerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The Kitson company is said to have made $60,000 last year.

The work of paving New Appleton street will soon be commenced.

Joseph A. Coram is to erect a new residence on Marlborough street.

Will the general public ever have a chance to inspect the new truant school.

Peter A. Fay will be a candidate for county commissioner on the democratic ticket.

Wm. A. Delmage of Fourth street, is laid up with a broken arm caused by a fall from a tree Friday.

Undertaker Brooks has a burglar and fire proof casket which can be opened by a person inside of it.

The incorporators of the new Lowell trotting association will meet and organize at Portland this week.

Last night's storm did great damage to fruit trees and immense quantities of unripe fruit will be wasted.

Workmen on the Centralville sewer have struck another ledge, between Billings street and the open trench.

The Y. M. C. A. gives a reception to young men employed in the cotton and woolen mills tomorrow night.

Miss Adelaide E. Noyes will entertain her friends at her home on Princeton street tomorrow evening on the occasion of the opening of 15 night blooming cereus.

Gardner W. Pearson may decline as a candidate for the state central committee, and in such case there will be a lively hustle among young democrats to get the coveted place.

J. L. Chalifoux reports lately a large increase in his sales over the corresponding weeks of last year. His great assortment of novelties in fall suits certainly accounts for part of this increase.

Many of the young voters of Ward Two believe that if land there was all taxed by the square foot instead of by the acre, as in many instances, that portion of the city would grow and develop as a residential section.

The choir at the First Primitive M. E. church on Gorham street has organized with Fred Pickles, president, Miss Montford, secretary, and T. H. Husband, treasurer. Rehearsals will be held on Friday evenings.

Will Put Up Candidates.

L. W. Weeks is to address the populists at their headquarters tomorrow evening. Nomination papers of candidates are to be drawn up.

Who Are To Be Married.

The latest marriage intentions received at the city clerk's office were those of Fred N. Dubois and Jennie E. R. Wheaton, Walter B. Lowe and Bertha W. Shaw, James H. Powers and Margaret T. Draddy.

Going to College.

The following Lowell boys go to college this year: Arthur Hatch, Perry Thompson, James M. Abbott and Eric Greenhalge, to Harvard; Robert F. Marden, Dartmouth; George Pillsbury, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Fred D. Shepard and Boyden H. Pillsbury begin their senoir year at Dartmouth today.

Young Man's Serious Accident.

While stepping from the 7.45 train in Lawrence last evening, Thomas Larkin made a misstep, and fell on the track, the wheels of one of the cars, passing over one of his feet. He was removed to the hospital, where Mrs. Dow and Sargent amputated the foot. Larkin belongs in this city and started on a visit to Lawrence last evening.

Hen Poisoning Case.

The little village of Gilmanville in Tewksbury is excited over a case of hen poisoning. William Burke and Ellen Avery, it is alleged, have not got along well together of late though they are next door neighbors. Burke has had three or four of his hens die recently and it seems that they were poisoned with arsenic. He claims Mrs. Avery administered the poison and had a warrant served on her, but she was acquitted yesterday.

An Eclipse On Friday.

There will be an eclipse of the moon on Friday night. The affair will begin at 9.30 o'clock. The first part of the eclipse will be visible from the western parts of Europe and Africa, and over all of North and South America.

But before it has lasted long the Europeans will be out of it, and the show thenceforth will be a purely American one.

At 10.30 o'clock the eclipse will be at its maximum, and at 11.28 the moon will triumphantly emerge from the shadow.

Spun Yarns of Their Trip.

A supper was given in the Reform club last evening in honor of Mr. Frank Burns, janitor, and Mr. Hugh Williams, another member, both of whom have just returned from the other side of the water. The Ladies' auxiliary assisted in the arrangements. Supper was served to 150 at 8 o'clock, after which Mr. Richard Hallowell called to order, and in behalf of the members presented Messrs. Burns and Williams with handsome badges. Both gentlemen responded and gave an account of their travels. A musical program followed.

ABOUT LIQUOR SEIZURES.

Information Given to a Correspondent of THE SUN.

A suscriber writes to THE SUN for information regarding the seizure of liquor by police officers.

The matter is covered by chapter 100 of the public statutes. The mode of procedure of the liquor officers is, in the first place, to arm themselves with a search warrant which permits them to search the house mentioned in the complaint and to seize and any and all liquors found there, together with vessels and furniture used in the sale of the liquor.

All liquor seized is taken to the police station and the seizure officers return the warrant with a list of the liquor, etc., taken, written on its back. They then make out a notice of forfeiture, enumerating the articles to be forfeited. Two such notices are thus made out, one of which is posted on the house from which the seizure was made and the other is sent to the defendant. On the day when the matter of forfeiture comes up in police court, if the persons from whom the liquor was taken can show that it was for their own use, and not for sale, the officers are obliged by law to return it to its owners. If the parties, however, fail to show this the liquor is sent to Chief Wade of the district police and is sold the money thus obtained if in excess of the expenses, being turned into the state treasury.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred cigars.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

J. H. Costello, 37 Davidson st., carpenter.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Fine shoe repairing, Merrimack Square Cunningham's.

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E. A. Wilson, coal dealer, is selling coal at lowest cash prices; call at 51 Merrimack street.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

George Flint extinguished a blaze in a Lawrence street car Sunday by the use of some chemicals which he had in his store.

Prof. Borjes has returned to this city and has opened his school for teaching the violin; for further particulars call at 21 Tyler street.

A true, life-like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barristers' hall and have a sitting made.

The new Hale's brook channel is completed and as stated some time ago the old Plain street bridge will now go and the bed of the brook will be filled in at that point. The water shed of the driven well system now has almost perfect drainage.

Supply Was Running Low.

The continued drouth has had its effect upon the supply of water at the driven wells and the yield has fallen off about a million gallons daily, the amount pumped being not far from two million gallons.

An Overcrowded Institution.

The jail at Thorndike street is overcrowded and prisoners have to be transferred to East Cambridge almost every week. Yesterday, 20 were taken below by Sheriff Cushing.

Practice of Medicine.

A test case is to be made on the bill to regulate the practice of medicine, according to the Boston Post. A number of medical men known as the "irregulars" are preparing to have the supreme bench pass upon the question of its constitutionality.

Choral Singing Begins.

Dr. Rix's chorus held its first rehearsal in the First Congregational church last evening. The chorus comprises some of the best singers in the city. Over 130 names are now on the list of applicants. The first public work will be a concert in aid of the W. C. T. U.

Up In a Balloon.

Prof. Wolcott did not make his parachute jump at Lakeview yesterday owing to the unfavorable condition of the weather. His assistant is Curtis Waite who has had considerable experience in the business. Mr. Waite will probably make a few ascensions this week, while the professor himself will go up today.

SCHOOL OPENING DAY

Notes Taken From the Several Schools in Regard to the Attendance, etc.

Miss Battles is the assistant to Miss Kennedy, temporary principal at the Varnum school, instead of Miss Balch, as stated yesterday, the latter young lady going to a lower grade to fill the place supplied by Miss Usher during last term. The term opened in this school under very favorable auspices and with a large attendance.

It is said that at the high school one of the teachers was counted off as a pupil to go into another room for classification, yesterday, much to the amusement of the pupils when the joke was discovered.

There were 685 pupils reported at the high school and 50 more are expected before the end of the week. The increase over opening day last year was 113. Of the number received this year 233 came from the grammar schools.

LOWELL'S BOWLING CRAZE.

IT IS STILL TALKED ABOUT IN OTHER PLACES.

Gossip in Regard to the League Schedule and the Sub-Division of the Classes—Vespers, Highlands and Miserables Are in It.

Once more the talk of the sports is bowling and the teams in the big league are beginning to get into shape for the fall and winter tournament. The Boston athletic association is mapping out a very interesting program. The B. A. A. bowlers will come together in a week. Big improvements are being made in their alleys including the placing of a bowler and electrical ventilating apparatus which will keep a constant supply of fresh air in the alleys, removing the cigar smoke which sometimes gets dense during the progress of a game. The league teams will be selected from 20 of the association's best bowlers.

The Norfolk house Casino team will be strong this fall. Its would-be members are now practicing. Capt. George A. Smith will head the team it is expected.

How about the champions? The Vespers of this city are the champions of the first division, and the make up of the team will not be changed materially. Grover, Corwin, Goulding, Thorpe and Harris being the team. Corwin and Goulding won their spurs as star bowlers some two years ago. Grover was one of last year's "phenoms" and Thorpe the left handed bowler made a good record.

Lowell isn't satisfied with one champion team for in the third division the crack Les Miserables swept everyone else off the alleys and afterwards beat the Vespers. Les Miserables will put up the same team as before. "Veteran" Jim McLaughlin never was stronger in his life, and Swift, Seede, Purcell, Marren and Farrell are in good shape. Keep your eye on the Belvidere team this fall.

The make-up of the other teams are not as yet known.

The league is puzzled over the make-up of the divisions at present. A year ago the teams were grouped on the basis of pins knocked down in the matches of the preceding season. This year as the Vespers and Highlands are in the same division there will be much more travel for the other teams in that division, and hence some objections have been made to the pin classification plan. The committee appointed at the last meeting to arrange this division consists of W. J. Follett, Newton; S. T. Whittier, Vesper; F. A. Nichols, Old Dorchester; W. W. Orne, 999th Artillery; G. A. Lloyd, Arlington; J. H. Aubin, Gliston. This committee is to report Sept. 28 and is now considering the plan of splitting the league into two divisions separating the distinctively social club from the bowling organizations.

A General Call

to all the inhabitants of Lowell and vicinity to buy our teas and coffees and get useful presents. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

Louis Alexander.

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NOT MEAT TO HIS TASTE.

Keeper—I thought you was workin' up at Morley's farm, Giles.

Giles—Well, so I wer; but two week ago t'owd cow died, and we 'ad to eat 'im; and next week t' pig died, and we 'ad to eat 'im; an' this mornin' t' master's mother-in-law died, so I thought—I'd leave.—Pall Mall Budget.

Miss Rose Dubois is visiting in Canada.

Calvin N. Lassonde has entered the Boston Dental College.

Messrs. Delphis Billeville, and Ephrem Pelletier have returned from Canada.

Rev. C. W. Huntington will debate with Henry B. Blackwell, husband of the late Lucy Stone Blackwell, on "Equal Suffrage," tomorrow night.

Last evening Prof. Stroud of the Y. M. C. A., commenced his fall and winter course of instruction in indoor athletics. He intends to make the business men's class a special feature this year.

Mrs. John Sullivan of No. 4 Williams street, is in receipt of a chip of a famous rock in Castleton, Berehaven, County Cork, brought over by her neice from Ireland, and of which she is very proud.

Overcome By Heat.

John Tucker, residing at 12 Seventh street, was overcome by the heat at Lakeview, yesterday, and was taken home.

A New Band.

Mr. Joseph McShane is organizing a band composed wholly of flutes, fifes, drums and cymbals. They have 22 men and the number will be increased.

The Bowling Last Night.

The Big 12s defeated the Farmers at Lakeview last evening by a score of 2207 to 2145. The teams were: Big 12—Sanborn, 424, McMahon 399, Gallagher 502, Rawson 467, Viney 505; total 2207. Farmers—Sturtevant 408, Kirby 386, Hawes 416, Barton 450, Leighton 485; total 2145. The Farmers are Win Sturtevant's "Unknowns," which were recently discovered in the hay fields of Ward Four.

SEVERELY TROUNCED.

Anson's Pets Allowed the Bostons to Roll Up Twenty-Five Runs.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—On the very loose fielding of the Colts, the Champions threw them down, pounded them and rubbed it in until they were tired out. Two-thirds of the hits off Terry came after chances to retire the side had been neglected.

Boston	0	5	8	1	5	1	5	0		—25
Chicago	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3—	8

Base hits—Boston, 20; Chicago, 12. Errors—Boston, 5; Chicago, 8. Batteries—Stivetts and Tenney; Terry and Schriver.

At Cleveland:

New York	0	2	0	0	1	0	5	0	5—	13
Cleveland	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—	4

Base hits—New York, 17; Cleveland, 10. Errors—New York, 1; Cleveland, 4. Batteries—Rusie and Farrell; Sullivan and O'Connor.

At Louisville:

Baltimore	2	0	3	3	3	1	3	—15		
Louisville	3	0	1	1	0	1	0	0—	6	

Base hits—Baltimore, 12; Louisville, 11. Errors—Baltimore, 2; Louisville, 5. Batteries—Esper and Robinson; Inks and Lake. Game called on account of darkness.

Queen Bridget Is Dead.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 11.—Bridget T. Gorman, known as the queen of gypsies in America, died at her camp near this city, aged 85. She has ruled in America since the death of her husband, King John Gorman, two years ago, and will be succeeded by her son, Bartley Gorman, under a regency. The queen lived a roaming life all her days, and was popular with her subjects.

A Vermont Mystery.

FAIRLEE, Vt., Sept. 11.—A man's badly decomposed body, separated from the head, was found in the woods, near here, yesterday. A man named Johnson, who was addicted to drink, has been missing since July 1, and when last seen was near the spot where the body was found. A jug of rum was also found near by. The coroner is investigating.

Body to Be Exhumed.

NEWTON, N. H., Sept. 11.—The selectmen have taken active steps to solve the doubt about the suspicious deaths in the Peck family. The body of the father will be exhumed, and although there is no particularly strong chain of suspicion against any one, County Solicitor Hoyt has decided to hold the inquest to allay the public suspicion.

Sunk In Vineyard Sound.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Sept. 11.—The three-masted schooner Dora M. French of Bangor, Me., was sunk yesterday noon by the steamer Portia of Liverpool, N. S., about 1½ miles from Vineyard Sound lightship, during a thick fog and fresh southwest wind. The crew were rescued by the Portia.

Foreclosure Comes Next.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—T. J. Coolidge, Jr., of the reorganization committee of the New York and New England railroad, states that Judge Wallace of New York has signed the decree for the foreclosure of the mortgage on the property, and that the papers will be immediately forwarded and filed in this city.

Killed by Lightning.

WHATLEY, Mass., Sept. 11.—A Polander, whose name is unknown, was struck by lightning and instantly killed during the thunder storm here yesterday afternoon.

McWherrell Must Hang.

TORONTO, Sept. 11.—McWherrell, convicted of brutally murdering the old Williams couple on Dec. 4 last, has been refused a new trial and will be hanged.

Jail Burned Out.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 11.—The Hurley jail was gutted by fire. Prisoner Tom Gords started it in his cell, and was himself burned to a crisp.

I LIKE MY WIFE TO Use Pozzoni's Complexion Powder because it improves her looks and is as fragrant as violets.

THE CROP REPORT

Light Showers of Little Relief to Farmers.

FROST HAS DONE MUCH DAMAGE TO CROPS.

The Potato Crop Better Than Was Expected.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—According to the official reports of the New England weather service, United States weather bureau, the past week has seen a continuation of the drought throughout New England.

As a rule the correspondents report that the drought is felt more severely now than at any time during the season. In many instances streams, springs and wells that are known as almost unfailing are dry. In some sections from one-third to one-half the pastures are without water. The weather during the fore part of the week was warm, temperature somewhat above the average, and the atmosphere generally smoky and hazy. The latter part of the period was cool, and killing frosts, occasionally freezing temperatures, occurred in many sections of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

In some localities all vegetation subject to injury was killed by the frost, resulting in considerable damage to late vegetables, grass and berries. Farm work of all kinds has progressed with the fine weather. Therefore the crops, while light, will be safely and completely secured, and in excellent condition.

Garden Vegetables Suffered.

In Maine rain is needed more than ever, though the showers of the 8th gave temporary relief. The severe frosts in interior sections resulted in great damage to blueberries and garden vegetables generally. In nearly all parts of the state potatoes are being dug. In some places the yield is the average and the quality fine; in others the crop averages well and satisfactory. The rot is doing damage in some fields, but this is far from a general complaint.

In Aroostook county the harvest crops are nearly all secured in fair to fine condition. Potatoes are reported as selling at $1 a barrel. The Caribou correspondent reports fine harvest weather; warm first part of the week, but later very cool; temperature on the morning of the 8th ranging 8° below freezing. Here potatoes are being dug, yield light. In the vicinity of Houlton the grain is about all harvested. Potato digging is in progress, with an average yield. The frost of the 8th destroyed all vines, beans, etc., and killed all potato tops that were green.

No New Grass.

The reports from New Hampshire are generally favorable. The rain of the 8th did much good. Pastures, particularly in lowlands, will be greatly benefited, which will be the means of better fitting stock for fall feeding and wintering.

The potatoes are being dug in all sections, and as a rule the yield is about the average. Little rot is reported. Apples are a fair crop, but falling considerably, and will require early gathering. Tomatoes are plentiful, and most excellent quality. Pastures are very short, in some sections reported drying up.

At Grafton pastures are completely burned up; no water in any of them. The shower of the week in this part of the state was only sufficient to lay the dust. Corn is very good and being harvested. Near Newton the wells and springs are drying, and rain was never more needed than now. No new grass in any fields. In and about Deerfield all crops have suffered from the dry weather. The shower of the 8th was the first for several weeks.

Conditions Are Fair.

From Vermont come reports of a dry week. Showers occurred in most sections of this state on the 5th. There is probably less complaint in this state of the drought than any part of the district. Taken as an average, the season here compares favorably with other years. Potatoes are rotting some, but a very good crop will be secured.

Massachusetts was favored with rains in about all sections on the 8th, otherwise the week was dry. At Spencer the rain continued for two hours, and was followed by rising temperature, which was favorable to grass and roots. Corn, however, owing to the lateness of the season, cannot be improved by rain. Apples and pears are falling off and maturing too early.

Showers Barely Laid Dust.

Rhode Island reports another dry week, the rainfall in no section being more than sufficient to lay the dust. In some cases the question of water supply is growing serious. Wells and springs that have been used as a last resort have failed. Stock can be watered in many cases only with much labor and inconvenience. Monsup valley reports corn cutting in progress. The crop on low, moist ground is fair; on light and uplands, poor. The Kingston and other correspondents also report a continuation of dry weather. The crop and other conditions have changed little from those of previous weeks.

Fruits Ripening Earlier Than Usual.

In some sections of Connecticut the conditions have improved. In the vicinity of Meriden the rain of the 8th was sufficient for all growing crops, but the fall was not sufficient to renew wells, water courses and springs. Corn is reported ripening and will be a fairly good crop. New meadows in many cases will have to be reseeded.

Peaches are ripening, except the late varieties, and the fruit is excellent in quality. Grapes are plentiful, but the bunches are small and irregular. Apples promise a fair crop, though falling in some places. Gardens have improved very much.

The observer at South Manchester reports that all fruits are ripening earlier than usual, on account of the dry weather. For the same reason the apples are small in size. No feed starting here yet. Corn is being cut and will fall below the average. At Vernon Centre the corn is mostly cut. Here the crop conditions are improved as compared with last week. The reports of tobacco are generally favorable. In many places potato digging is finished, with a good yield and much better than expected.

Drought Affecting Milk Supply.

In about all sections of New England the dry weather is having a bad effect on the milk supply. This applies to quality and quantity. Owing to the early maturing of the crops there is less liability than usual of damage from frost in sections where it has not already occurred.

A GOOD IDEA.

Aliens In Our Country's Service Can Be Admitted to Citizenship.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Action has been taken by Admiral Ramsey, acting secretary of the navy, to carry out that feature of the last naval appropriation bill which provides for the naturalization of aliens serving in the navy and marine corps.

Under the section in question any foreigner who has served five years consecutively in either branch of the service mentioned, who has reached the age of 21, and who has been or may be honorably discharged, may be admitted to citizenship upon his petition without a previous declaration of his intention, upon furnishing to a proper court proof of good moral character and of his service.

Forty per cent of the enlisted men in these two branches of the service in round numbers are foreigners, and at least 30 per cent have expressed their desire to become naturalized, but find it difficult to comply with the necessary formalities on account of their service at sea. They will now be enabled to take out naturalization papers by a visit to any port where there is a United States court.

Admiral Ramsey made a general order yesterday calling attention to the new law and directing commanding officers of ships and stations to cause it to be read and explained to their men, and also posted in convenient places for reference.

Attempt to Open Mills Fails.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Sept. 11.—The employes of the Parkhill mill refused to resume work at from 3 to 7 per cent reduction in wages when the mill was reopened yesterday, after a three weeks' shutdown, and the mills are closed again.

Drowned In a Tub.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—Two-year-old Annie Ruthwater, whose home was at 20 Sawyer street, was playing about the kitchen while her mother was washing, yesterday afternoon, when she fell into a tub of water and was drowned.

A Costly Ride.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—Eddie Bliss, 7 years of age, was riding on a stone team late yesterday afternoon and he fell off. The heavy wheels passed over his abdomen, and the boy was probably fatally injured.

Three Victims of a Wreck.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 11.—Spreading rails caused a wreck on the Shell Beach railroad. Julius Applehans was killed, Willie Flick died of injuries and Engineer Crawford was badly hurt.

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Cleaves' Majority Over Johnson Is Estimated to Be 37,000.

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 11.—Yesterday was a good day for Republicans and a correspondingly bad one for Democrats, but the result was not altogether unforeseen. While the Democrats admit defeat they do not show a symptom of discouragement. The Prohibitionists and Populists are not largely in evidence so far as returns indicate.

G. F. JOHNSON. H. B. CLEAVES.

Returns from over 100 cities and towns indicate that the state has re-elected Governor Cleaves (Rep.) over Charles E. Johnson (Dem.) by a majority exceeding 37,000, the largest in the history of the party. The Republicans have carried every county in the state, and it is estimated that the legislature will have a working Republican majority of 120, which insures the re-election of Senator W. P. Frye.

Thomas B. Reed has been re-elected to congress by a plurality estimated at 10,000. Nelson Dingley, Seth L. Milliken and C. A. Boutelle are also re-elected to congress by majorities ranging from 6000 to 9000. The total vote will probably exceed 120,000.

Here are the city votes:

Cities.	Cleaves.	Johnson.	Scat.
Hallowell	304	51	110
Gardiner	554	74	99
Auburn	1,781	479	186
Saco	783	504	47
Lewiston	1,699	1,274	97
Bath	932	272	90
Biddeford	1,089	616	----
Calais	680	112	63
Waterville	844	654	40
Augusta	1,210	305	94
Portland	3,906	2,226	106

Biddeford completely turns over, having given in '92, Cleaves, 818; Johnson, 244; scattering, 14.

Coopers on Strike.

OMAHA, Sept. 11.—All the coopers employed in the Swift packing house have struck because of the refusal to discharge two non-union men, who were employed during the recent strike of the butchers.

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That we wear by which we are judged socially, financially, or intellectually. A man's appearance depends almost altogether on the way he is dressed.

Our suit department is filled to an overflowing with new Fall Clothing; every line is now complete, whether it be $6 or $25. All the novelties of the season are here. Come and let us fit you out for fall and you will realize as never before that it is the clothes

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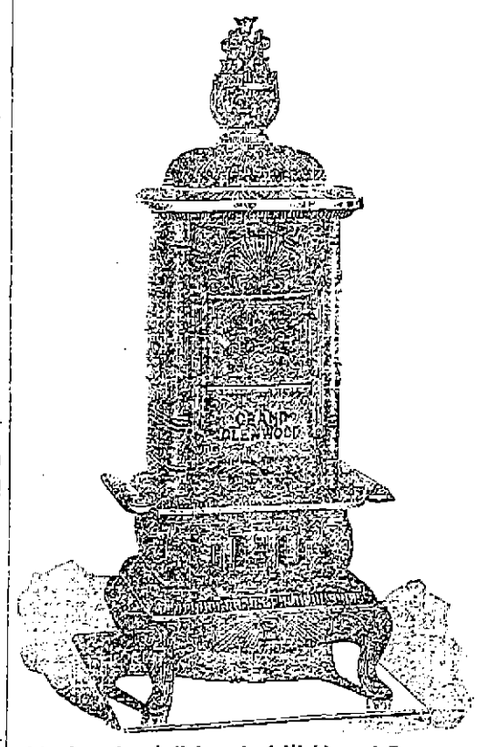

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We wish to call your attention to our line of Glenwood Ranges and Parlor Stoves for which we are the agents in Lowell. The Glenwood goods are the acknowledged superior of all other makes of stoves. See our Grand Glenwood heater before you purchase. The beautiful designs, fineness of finish and simple construction, together with elegant embellishment of Nickle and Bronze, makes it the most beautiful as well as the most useful heater ever offered to the public.

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FORTY YEARS MARRIED.

Anniversary Observed Quietly, But Pleasantly, by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wood of Fremont street, Last Evening.

The 40th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Thomas Wood was observed by them yesterday, at their residence, 54 Fremont street.

A number of their friends called and extended their congratulations. When all the guests had arrived, the hymn "Blest be the tie that binds," was sung. Then prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Court, after which Rev. Mr. Yarrow made brief remarks and closed by performing the marriage ceremony over again. By a happy coincidence the "best man" and "bridesmaid" were the same ones who officiated at the wedding, forty years ago, Mr. and Mrs. John Noble, whose marriage was a year following.

After the ceremony Mrs. James Dawson read a poem of congratulation and presented a handsome marble clock and other presents on behalf of friends. After this addresses were made and refreshments served.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mulno, Mr. and Mrs. James Sutcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. John Mountford, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fielding, Mr. and Mrs. John Bramball, Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, Rev. and Mrs. Yarrow, Mr. and Mrs. James Wood, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoyle, Fred Pickles, Mr. and Mrs. John Noble of Lawrence, Mrs. John Mahon, Mrs. Joseph Thorne, Mrs. Hannah Kenyon, Mrs. George Ingham, Mrs. Medley, Miss Addie Brown, Mrs. C. F. Hemenway, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Lavelle, Mr. and Miss Shoppard, Mrs. O. A. Simpson, Mrs. Clogston, Mrs. Ashworth, Mrs. Kershaw, Mrs. Bowker, Mrs. George Sanderson, Miss Sarah Sanderson, Mrs. Brown.

Among those who sent gifts were Mrs. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Noble of Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Lavelle, Mrs. Hemenway, Mrs. Hoyle, Miss Sarah Cahill, Ela and Locke, and Mrs. John Mahon. Mr. T. H. Husband acted as usher during the evening and Miss Sarah Sanderson looked after the comfort of the ladies.

Mr. Wood was born in Derbyshire, Eng. in 1828. In 1854 he married Miss Ruth Healey, in Glossop church, in his native county. In 1857 they came to this country and in 1858 Mr. Wood entered the employ of the J. C. Ayer company, where he has remained ever since and has filled a responsible position with satisfaction to all with whom he is connected.

MANTELL'S BIG NIGHT.

Opera House was Packed by Lowell People to Witness Monbars—Storm Did Not Materially Interfere With Audience.

While the storm came in inopportune time last night, it did not prevent a crowded house to see Monbars, although the audience was not all in until 8.30. Robert Mantell sustained his previous reputation and gave a finished, artistic performance as usual, being grandly supported by substantially the same company which has been with Mr. Mantell for two years.

Gentle Effie Elisler, the sweetest actress in sentimental dramas on the American stage will no doubt be enthusiastically greeted tonight when she plays Doris in a drama of that title. Last season she received most flattering notices of her play and everywhere her part was praised. To-morrow evening she plays Hazel Kirke, her original creation in the drama of that name.

Saturday's attraction, afternoon and evening, will be Louis Aldrich in "My Partner."

At Music hall the new bill for the week "Little Tatters," was successfully introduced with a number of new features, which makes the performance bright, fresh and catchy. The audience was enthusiastic and undoubtedly the week will be a prosperous one.

Pretty girls and clever specialties described the merry performance at the Bijou theatre by the burlesque company. The curtain raiser "Mamie's Surprise Party," made a hit, while the burlesque, "The Gypsies" created a roar of laughter. The Living Pictures are good.

If only to see Mrs. Gilbert use her beautiful fan, and to hear Miss Corea sing, no one should miss seeing Mikado at Lakeview this week, the last attraction at the summer theatre. This is the best performance of the season, and the singing is superb. Miss Corea and Mrs. Gilbert are Yum Yum and Pitti Sing, respectively, while the entire cast, including Mr. Martin and Mr. Iamoni of New York, is very satisfactory. Prof. Wolcott's balloon ascension after the matinee and his parachute jump should not be overlooked.

James F. O'Donnell,

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POLITICAL ARENA

Senator Brady is Nailing Up His Fences.

C. I. HOOD'S RUMORED CANDIDACY A MYTH.

The Guerilla Warfare Going On in Ward Two.

Senator Brady was consulted a few days ago by a number of men who wanted to organize a "Brady campaign club" consisting of good workers from every ward in the city. The genial senator thanked them for the interest shown in his canvass but asked them to defer the work of organizing until as many democrats as possible be replaced on the voting list. He requested the gentlemen to interest themselves in the work as the best way to help him and other candidates on the democratic ticket.

They are now looking up the democrats whose names have been dropped from the list by the assessors with a view to have them all restored.

This does not prove that Senator Brady is neglecting to look after the condition of his fences. He looks them over daily and whenever he finds a weak spot he forthwith drives a few political nails that will hold until election day at least. His record in the legislature will show that on every labor question his vote was on the right side. His efforts for the passage of the Weavers' Particulars bill were acknowledged to be very effective while no man worked more successfully than he for the Normal school. He is willing to have his record scrutinized as it will be to his advantage when the proper time comes. As yet the republicans have not intimated who his opponent will be. But it is likely that they will nominate either Foss or A. G. Walsh ex-councilman of Ward Four. Meantime Brady is cutting political ice by scouring the third ward for the men who are eligible for registration.

The other men who are hard at work on this matter of registration are John Conlon and John F. Tully, both of Ward Four, while James A. Sullivan of the democratic headquarters is continuously employed in advancing the interests of the party organization. There is now a prospect that the city will be quite as strongly democratic this year as ever before.

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The representative fight in Ward Two is the hottest in republican circles for years. It is a three-cornered fight between Putnam, the young men's candidate, A. H. Cluer, the supposedly A. P. A. candidate, and Major Rowell, who just at present is hustling from house to house, and nearly every house has been visited by friends of the candidates, and Putnam undoubtedly has the pole in the race. He generously stepped aside when Teddy Weir wanted to run and later when James Stuart Murphy wanted promotion.

He was in no hurry, but this year came forward to take the nomination. He has been square in all his dealings the republicans say, and deserves the honor. The knowing ones are down on Cluer because of that Hildreth incident, when, it was said, he got Mr. Hildreth, a saddler at the city stables, discharged, in order to get his brother from the back districts a job. Besides, Cluer, they say, has not done anything to help the party since he got out of the council, and the city committee is "agin' him" on this account.

Major Rowell's candidacy, it is said, has considerable back of it, in the way of legislation in favor of the corporations next year. Knowing ones say that Major Rowell is not going to the legislature to represent Ward Two, but to tie a string that the corporations may pull around certain things.

So hot is the fight that the A. P. A. held a caucus last Thursday and made arrangements to submit a proposition to the republican city committee. It is that it shall be endorsed to the extent of representation by three members of this year's ward committee and two councilmen. The same proposition will be made from each ward to the city committee. An A. P. A. zealot predicted that if the proposition was refused, there would be the biggest political smash in years throughout the city.

The democrats may well hope that the republicans will continue to make the fur fly.

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There seems to be an impression among democrats that the Fifth congressional district can be carried only by a man who will draw largely from the republican ranks. This is a mistake. The district is solidly democratic and the man who can poll the full democratic strength can be elected. This is evidenced by Mr. Stevens' plurality of 1800 and by the vote received by Mr. Hyde, candidate for councillor against Lunar T. Jefts in that portion of the councillor district which is included in the Fifth congressional district. The party should, therefore, go in for victory, put up a good fighting democrat, support him by every legitimate means and victory will be achieved.

This idea of a few men constituting themselves a delegation to ask any man whose democracy is in question, to become a candidate is all wrong.

The democrats need not go begging for a candidate. They have plenty of eligible men whose democracy is unquestioned, and it is not difficult to select one from the number who can go in and win.

It may be urged that when Mr. Greenhalge was a candidate in this district the result seemed to indicate a republican majority. That was due to Mr. Greenhalge's popularity in Lowell, although Lowell had then a democratic majority. Mr. Greenhalge carried the city by nearly 500 votes. If a popular democrat be nominated he will draw republican votes in this city and will poll a sweeping majority in Lawrence.

The democrats of Lawrence are willing to support a man from the Lowell end of the district, because they have had the choice of a candidate for the past few years.

The rumor that Lowell democrats solicited C. I. Hood to be a candidate is without foundation. Mr. Hood is a popular citizen, but unless he renounces republican principles and makes a full declaration of his faith in the principles of the democratic party, democrats would not vote for him. It should be understood that no coterie of individuals, no newspaper and no politician has the giving of the congressional nomination for the Fifth district. The democratic congressional convention alone has the nominating power and all that can be done outside of that body, is to suggest or recommend candidates for nomination. Many good men have been suggested but as yet it is difficult to say on whom democratic sentiment will centre for the honor of being nominated for the office. It may be that a new man will be discovered more acceptable to the rank and file of the democrats than any yet named. It seems that none of the men so far are anxious to enter the contest. Hon. George W. Fifield is deterred by his business from responding to the call, J. L. Chalifoux is unwilling to become a candidate. William F. Courtney, Esq., keeps a neutral attitude although he would make an ideal candidate and an able congressman.

Col. Parker, Hon. Jeremiah Crowley, Hon. E. M. Tucke and John C. Burke, Esq., are all either silent in regard to the selection of a candidate or in favor of somebody else than themselves. None of them manifest any desire to enter the field as a candidate. As to ex-Senator Bradley and Guy Currier of Lawrence it does not appear that there is any spontaneous demand for either so that as yet it seems that nobody can predict with any degree of certainty who will be the favorite candidate in the convention.

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It will be of interest to local republicans to learn that Curtis Guild, Jr., has already taken to the stump to sound the keynote of the campaign. It looks as if the "slim-lets" will run the mill this fall.

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Congressman Rodonil of Fall River, went to the governor, yesterday, to complain that Simpkins, his opponent, is favored by the Fall River police commission. He wants fair play, and Gov. Greenhalge said he would not let the commission interfere.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Thomas Grant took place yesterday afternoon from his late home on Willie street. The funeral cortege was an unusually large one, and among those who followed the remains to the grave were the employes of the Fifield Machine Co., where the deceased had worked for fifteen years, and which was closed during the afternoon out of respect to the memory of the deceased. The bearers were Messrs. James Shea, Patrick Barry, James Young, Chas. White, Timothy Cousin and John Robbins. The ushers were Messrs. Joseph Gormley, Edward F. Gormley, Thomas H. Muldoon and Peter Sheehan. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where services were conducted by Rev. Fr. Burke. Deceased was highly esteemed as a mechanic and citizen.

The funeral of Rose Donohoe occurred this morning from her late home on Pleasant street, and was very largely attended. The body was removed to the Immaculate Conception church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I. The choir of the church under the direction of Prof. Haggerty rendered Schmidt's requiem mass. The solo in the "De Profundis" was sung by Prof. Haggerty. The only floral offering was a sheaf of wheat. The bearers were Messrs. John McNeese, Thomas F. Garvey, A. E. Rountree, John Broadhurst, John Sullivan, and ex-Councilman Dolan. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I.

PERSONAL.

C. N. Woodward has gone to Dover, N. H.

Misses Abbie Watson and Annie Leach are in New York.

Rep. W. H. I. Hayes is in attendance at the G. A. R. encampment.

Mrs. Charles W. Swan has returned from Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Miss Lizzie Wright has gone to Cowansville, P. Q., her former home.

Charles McFarland and a party of friend are camping out at Lake Magog.

Mr. William Dailey of Boston has entered the employ of the Washington house proprietors.

Miss Bertha Spicer of South Loring street has returned from a visit to Manchester, N. H.

Miss Etta McDermott has been presented by her aunt with an elegant gold watch, as a birthday present.

Mr. P. A. Corcoran, the popular dry goods salesman, is with Cook, Taylor & Co., Merrimack street.

Mrs. Underwood of the Rogers hall school, arrived home yesterday, after a delightful trip through Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hastings leave next week for a sojourn at West New Portland and other resorts in Maine.

Mrs. Marshall and daughter, Ethel, of Marginal street, have returned from their vacation at West Windham, N. H.

The engagement of Miss Maud Hadley of the high school corps of teachers, and Mr. E. D. Steele was announced yesterday.

The engagement has been announced of Mr. Robert Wallis of New York and Miss Pauline Bergman of Boston, formerly of this city.

Commander J. G. Eaton, U. S. N., with his wife, is spending a few days at Mrs. Eaton's old home, the residence of W. P. Varnum, Esq.

M. Allen Johnson will return to Amherst college for a post-graduate course in history, political economy and psychology, while his brother, Dr. Herbert S. Johnson, returns as a master in the Lawrenceville academy.

John Drain, the well known dry goods dealer of Gorham street, has returned from Salisbury beach. This was the first vacation he had for years and he speaks glowingly of the fun he had and the sights he saw. He brought home relics of a ship wreck at the beach.

Mr. Guy H. Chase of Buffalo, N. Y., is on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Chase. He was on the train which met with a rear-end collision at Hoosac tunnel, Sunday, and was obliged to crawl out of a hole in the debris, unhurt, but not enjoying an undesired experience.

DEATHS.

Frederick, infant child of George H., and Louisa Hanley, died yesterday at their home, 62 Newhall street.

Charles, infant son of Thomas and Bridget Dailey, died yesterday at their home, 59 Chestnut street.

Lillian McGuirk, child of James and Margaret McGuirk, died last evening at their home, 79 Front street.

Ellen Scanlan, aged 71 years, died yesterday at her home, 4 Fox's yard, off Davidson street.

Mamie, infant daughter of John and Nellie Maguire, died last evening at their home, 40 John street.

James Green, infant son of William Green, died last evening at his home, 10 Pawtucket street.

Mary E. Niles, a native of Stillwater, N. Y., and widow of the late Norman Niles, died Sunday at her home in Dracut.

Orrin Hutchinson, a resident of Lowell for many years, died yesterday of consumption, at his home, 317 Chelmsford street, aged 73 years. He leaves one son C. C. Hutchinson of Utah, and one daughter, Mrs. T. Wright of this city.

George A. Roberts, wife of Warren Roberts, died yesterday at her late residence, 25 Read street, aged 42 years and 6 months after a long illness. Deceased was a member of the Paige street Free Baptist church and the order of the United Friends.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts

5 O'CLOCK

A BABY'S BODY WAS FOUND.

IT WAS PLACED IN A SHOE BOX AND THROWN INTO CANAL.

Inquest to Be Held to Determine If This Was a Case of Infanticide.

The body of a male infant, about 6 or 8 months old was found in the canal near Thompson's field, shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. An employe of the Locks & Canals Co., while engaged in some work about there, found a shoe box in the canal and upon examination learned that it contained the body of a male infant. Officer Buchanan was notified and he sent word to the police station and to Undertaker Brooks' who took charge of the body.

It is believed that the body was placed in the shoe box and thrown into the canal by the mother who wished to rid herself of her offspring and took this means of concealing her intention and identity.

NEW BEDFORD STRIKE.

Editorial Opinion on the Situation and Probable Outcome.

Another mill opened at New Bedford, all the help returning at the old rate of wages, says the Post.

This will undoubtedly be the rule in all cases of resumption of work in the two cotton manufacturing cities. It would be folly on the part of the combined mill owners to expect that the reduction posted in New Bedford two weeks ago can ever be made to take effect, or the rates against which the Fall River operatives struck four weeks ago can ever be accepted.

The result, moreover, will not be brought about by compulsion. It will follow naturally. In the first place, the old wages were as low as it was possible to make. They were too low by a considerable figure for American workmen to accept as a permanency, and too low for American manufacturers, earning large profits, to pay.

And, in the next place, everything is working to bring about conditions in which wages in this industry will naturally be higher. Print cloth is now selling at an advance upon the price at which the manufacturers can maintain their large profits, and the alternative already is brought before them of seeing business go elsewhere of opening their mills.

This is the situation today. The sooner the mills are opened, without reduction in wages, the better will it be for the manufacturers as well as for the operatives.

DWIGHT L. MOODY.

To Be Invited to Conduct Evangelistic Services in This City During the Coming Winter.

The pastors and delegates of the evangelical churches of this city met in convention in Y. M. C. A. hall last evening to devise some means of introducing general revival work in this city during the winter. Rev. Dr. Seymour was chosen chairman and Rev. J. O. Campbell, secretary.

The roll-call showed about 75 delegates present, about 24 out of the 28 churches responding to the call.

Rev. C. L. Merriam offered prayer and then all joined in singing, "There shall be showers of blessings."

Dr. Seymour said that he had written Mr. Moody and asked him to come here and conduct revival services.

Mr. Moody replied it would be impossible. Then he called upon Mr. Moody and after considerable inquiry the latter consented to come providing it was the desire of all that he should do so.

Rev. E. T. Curnick then moved that it be the sense of the convention that revival services be held during the winter.

A. K. Whitcomb wanted to know when the meetings would be held and was informed that November was thought to be the proper time.

Rev. Mr. LeClair said his people wanted the service held right away.

Huntington hall was suggested as a suitable place for the meetings, but when Mr. Whitcomb said the Opera house has a larger seating capacity, the chairman remarked that "he would like nothing better than to take it and use it for the Lord."

The motion to hold revival services was then unanimously carried.

Rev. C. W. Huntington then moved to extend an invitation to Mr. Moody to visit Lowell and conduct the revival services to be held about two months hence under the auspices of the evangelical churches of the city, and the vote on this was also unanimous.

After prayer the convention adjourned.

Lowell Day Nursery—August Report.

During August 421 children were cared for in the Kirk street and Centralville nurseries, the largest attendance in one day being 23. Donations are acknowledged from the following: Mrs. J. Y. Keyes, Mrs. C. I. W. Maynard, Mrs. Amos Green, Mrs. G. C. Brock, E. G. Burke, Westford. Flower mission, Unitarian church, Mrs. H. G. Cushing, Mrs. H. R. Barker, Mrs. E. M. Tucke, F. and E. Bailey & Co., a friend, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Charles Barker, Mrs. Wm. Fiske, and the Lowell & Suburban street railway, who kindly gave free tickets for the children.

E. K. BALDWIN, Clerk.

No. Billerica Concert.

The evenings are growing cooler and the band concerts at North Billerica will soon be ended but Thursday evening there will be another fine one and below is the program.

March, "Capt. Allen,".....Missud
Medley, "The last of the Hogans,".....Braham
Waltz, "The Fairy Spell,".....Smith
Clarinet solo, "Air and Variations,".....Daneln
(Mr. J. Fairbrother.)
Selection, "Lily of Killarney,".....Heinicke
Waltz song, "The Fatal Wedding,".....Davis
Fantasia on "Auld Lang Syne,".....Dally
Hungarian Dance, "Magyar,".....Ripley
March, "Lieut. Pearl's,".....Ramsdell

C. H. HALSTEAD, Leader.

Gov. Greenhalge's Program.

It is announced from republican state headquarters that after Oct. 6th Gov. Greenhalge will be under the direction of the state committee for campaigning purposes.

Will Marry Soon.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today:

Joseph H. Cyr, Westford, 28, to Sophia E. Brussand 23.

William J. Laverriere 23, to Matilda Parriere 20.

Rev. Fr. Burns, O. M. I., at Home.

Rev. Fr. Burns, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church arrived home from his European trip yesterday. His health is greatly improved.

QUIET FOLLOWS THE RUSH.

POLICE COURT WORE DESERTED LOOK THIS MORNING.

Number of Drunks was Small and Business was Quickly Disposed of—A Little Family Affair in Billerica.

Ten drunks after the army of yesterday.

Two who were new were released.

Albert Powlinski, or something like that is a Pole who came here from Springfield, and was arrested last night by Officer Dennett for drunkenness. When asked what he pleaded, Powlinski shrugged his shoulders and started off an unintelligible jargon. The court officers were losing patience with him when Reporter Sternberg came to the rescue and spouted off something in German which Powlinski understood. Then the two of them went at it and talked back and forth like a couple of Dutch school masters. It was Stern's first offence at interpreting, and barring a blush, he did very well. Powlinski said that he was not drunk but weak, having been without food for some time. He has a seven years old child in town somewhere. The court ordered Powlinski to be taken down stairs, given three square meals, and returned for sentence in the morning.

Kate Ireson, who is said to be a descendant of the famous skipper who rode through Marblehead, some little time ago, said that she turned around and got dizzy and was arrested. She was fined $2.

The case of Joseph Ryan, charged with assault, was continued until Saturday.

James McKinley, drunk, was sent to the workhouse for four months.

Mary J. Stack was sent to jail for six months.

Three young fellows pulled in as suspicious persons were dismissed.

Edward M. Leighton of Billerica, who is the happy possessor of a couple of handfuls of luxurious red whiskers, pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault on his wife, Martha. She said that he came home and not finding the dinner ready struck her and abused her. Leighton conducted his own case and on cross-examination asked his wife if she had ever been arrested, and she, getting quite red, admitted that she had been in jail at Concord, N. H., for throwing a coffee pot full of boiling coffee in a man's face. She did a year in jail for this, it is said. Leighton was fined the costs of the case and put under $100 bonds to keep the peace.

The ben poisoning case from Gilmanville was dismissed late yesterday afternoon.

Joseph Alcon was in court for alleged cruelty to a horse using turpentine on the animal to make it go.

THE FAIR OPENS.

Big Receipts of Farm Produce and Other Exhibits at the Fair Grounds Today.

Today the exhibits in farm produce are being received at the fair grounds for the Middlesex North agricultural fair. Tomorrow the livestock will be received and the fair formally opened. There seems to be less interest than usual in the fair, and excepting horse-trotting the last three days of the week the programme has no special features. Mr. Asa Clements will be missed to lead the procession of farmers' daughters—the pride of Middlesex county—at the harvest dinner, Thursday.

The South Middlesex fair at So. Framingham bats against the fair in this city, and Gov. Greenhalge will visit there Thursday, but not in Lowell.

SPEAK-EASY BUSINESS.

Reputable Druggists Indignant that Liquor Selling on Sunday in the Suburbs is not Stopped.

Reputable druggists down town are complaining that speak easies flourish in some of the pharmacies. One of the druggists said that he had heard that one so called druggist sold 60 cases of lager a week ago Sunday, and five men were needed to do the business, their meals being brought in to them.

Last Sunday, the same place was packed with customers at several times during the day, and the proprietor's dinner was seen going into the pharmacy on a tray.

Trouble at the Barracks.

THE SUN yesterday mentioned a communication from a subscriber in which the latter claimed that a boy was roughly used by the Salvation Army people at their barracks Saturday night, and the Mail this morning had a story of a robbery committed there on Saturday night, when six toughs, it alleges set upon the sergeant who was selling the War Cry and robbed him of 75 cents. If both rows occurred the barracks must have been a lively place that night, and certainly was very inviting to the new captain and his wife.

The Commissioner's First Report.

The license commission has sent in its first official report to Mayor Pickman. It contains nothing of importance for the commissioners have had no chance of doing much of anything up to the present time. They alluded to their visit to Worcester, and gave a list of the transfers made.

The license commissioners of Worcester accompanied by the mayor of that city come here today.

Will Use the Lincoln School.

The class which occupied the overflow room in the vestry of the Chelmsford street Free Baptist church has been removed to the new Lincoln school by Supt. Whitcomb.

No flagstaff has been placed on the new school yet.

The school is finished throughout with adjustable seats and desks.

LOCAL NOTES.

Miss Etta Hill has returned from Falmouth Heights.

The committee on school houses and hygiene inspected the Lincoln school yesterday.

The Bothnia with a number of Lowell passengers arrived safely at Queenstown at 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

If your grain bin is like your coal bin, low, and you want to replenish it give John Cosgrove of 378 Merrimack street, an order for grain or hay. The best goods, weight guaranteed, at the lowest market prices.

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NOBLE VETERANS

40,000 Defenders of the Union Were in Line.

PROBABLY THE LAST PARADE OF THE G. A. R.

Great Feature of the Pittsburg Encampment.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 11.—Forty thousand men who fought and bled for the Union marched through the streets of this city and Monongahela today. They carried no rifles, but helped their footsteps with canes. The parade started at 10 o'clock from the historic Monongahela house, Co. A of the second battalion of Naval Reserves heading the column as an escort of honor to Commander-in-chief J. G. Adams. The Massachusetts division was sixth in line.

The buildings throughout the city were lavishly decorated.

The day has been a notable one, for this is perhaps the last reunion when a parade will be held, as it has been decided to abandon this feature owing to the growing infirmity of the veterans.

Gov. Pattison and staff reviewed the parading column. It was a grand parade and was successful from beginning to end.

At a meeting of the association of Army and Navy Chaplains, Rev. T. H. Haggerty of the 23d Indiana regiment was chosen president and C. C. McCabe of the 122nd Ohio regiment, secretary.

FOREST FIRES BREAK OUT.

WISCONSIN FORESTS ARE NOW THREATENED BY FLAME.

Citizens Are Preparing to Move Out of the Timber Lands—Ashland May Become a Heap of Ashes.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 11.—Strong winds have fanned the forest fires in this vicinity, and they are burning fiercely in nearly every direction.

The flames are quite close to Mt. Hope cemetery, and also the Catholic cemetery, with the strong wind constantly bringing them nearer. Washburn has been enveloped in a cloud of smoke all day.

The following dispatch was received from Saxon last night:

"Forest fires are raging about here. Water is being hauled by running teams. Citizens are moving out of thier homes with all possible speed."

HE'S A DIME NOVEL HERO.

LITTLE BOYS MAKE COL. BRECKINRIDGE THEIR HERO.

Sing "Billy, Billy Breckinridge, Chaw, Chaw, Chaw," Because He Is Dishing Out Lurid Roasts and Making Capital Out of Political Speeches.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 11.—Excitement has reached fever heat in this, the seat of congressional warefare.

Congressman Breckinridge is like a stag at bay. He has met and had a personal encounter with Judge Milton J. Durham, controller of the U. S. treasury under Cleveland's first administration, and so sharp was his tongue in the row and so furious his deportment that he has blossomed into the small boys' idol, and nightly the streets are paraded by street urchins, who sing in chorus, "Billy, Billy Breckinridge, chaw, chaw, chaw." In fact, the colonel is a regular dime novel hero.

FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

The Parkhill mills at Fitchburg are still silent.

Mrs. Ellen A. Gougar opened her suit for libel against Congressman Elijah A. Morse in the U. S. circuit court in Boston today.

THE HIGHWAY PLANS.

Considered at a Hearing Before the State Commission This Afternoon.

The highway commission gave a hearing at the Probate court room this afternoon, on the petition for and extension of the boulevard.

The court room was crowded, many of Lowell's most prominent citizens being among the signers of the petition. Several prominent men from out of town were in attendance. The first speakers were County Commissioner Reed and City Solicitor Hogan. After them Larkin T. Trull, Esq., one of the petitioners, spoke at some length on the advantages of the proposed extension. As he understood it the mission of the commission is to show the state how to construct good roads, and in his opinion no road could be picked out that would be more seen, more used, and more achieved than that proposed, along the banks of the Merrimack.

Mr. Trull then called on Col. Charles H. Allen.

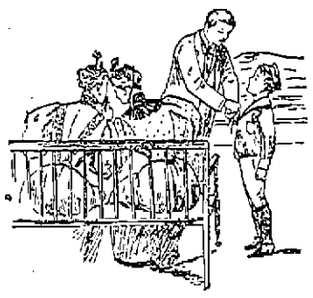
This Afternoon's Blaze.

The alarm from box 39 at 1.45 this afternoon was for a blaze on the roof of Crevier's blacksmith shop on Willie street. The damage was slight.

Not An Illegal Arrest.

Regarding the report that Officer Lennon might be a defendant in a case growing out of a liquor case, Capt. Moffatt says that the arrest of a witness is not looked upon as an illegal arrest, and did not believe there were grounds for the charge as alleged.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Durfee occurred this afternoon from the residence of Mr. Walter McDaniels in Tewksbury. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Chambre and the remains were forwarded to Geneva, N. Y., for interment.



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LIGHTNING DID GREAT DAMAGE IN THAT CITY.

St. James' Tower Shattered and Lightning Was Incessant—Streets Flooded and Much Damage Done.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

MANCHESTER, Sept. 10.—A severe electric storm struck this city at noon. Lightning was incessant, and St. James' church was struck and the tower shattered, while the ball of fire went through the edifice. The streets were flooded and much damage done.

Storm in Amesbury.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

AMESBURY, Sept. 10.—There was a cloud burst here at noon, causing great damage and flooding streets. Trees were uprooted and buildings damaged.

STRIKERS WILL WIN.

Predictions For the Outcome of New Bedford's Troubles.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW BEDFORD, Sept. 10.—Sec'y Connolly of the Carders and Pickers association states today that on high authority he learns that the Towamsku mills will resume Monday on the old scale. If this is done all the cloth mills will start.

MINE EXPLOSION.

Ninety-Nine Miners Escaped, But the Superintendent Is Lost.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 10.—An explosion occurred today in No. 4 slope of the Pennsylvania Coal company's mine at Pittston. Ninety-nine miners were rescued, but Supt. Bryden is entombed.

A NASHUA SENSATION

In Which it is Thought an Insane Woman Murdered Two Children.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NASHUA, N. H., Sept. 10.—City Marshal Eaton is in receipt of a letter from Lina A. Herbert, who is in an asylum. In which she confesses to murdering two children of Mrs. E. W. Walker of this city 14 years ago. An investigation is now going on.

LATEST BY WIRE.

Dalton, Ohio, was devastated by fire today, 50 houses being burned, loss $200,000.

There is no change in the Fall River mill situation.

The truce made by the Irish Nationalists at a meeting in Boston, Aug. 1884, for ten years, so as not to interfere with parliamentary action, is declared off by Hugh Tyrrell of Pawtucket, R. I.

Lowell Boy Preached Yesterday.

Rev. Phillip Lee of Worcester, brother of Miss Lee, the school teacher, and a former Lowell boy, celebrated the nine o'clock mass at St. Peter's church yesterday forenoon. He preached an eloquent and instructive sermon on the gospel of St. Mathew, xxii., 34-40: "The first and greatest commandment" — Feast of the Holy Name of Mary. The sermon was finely delivered showing that Fr. Lee will some day make a brilliant reputation as a pulpit preacher.

Here's Real Kindness.

Miss Sarah H. Cahill, the well known milliner, will Tuesday give her annual outing to the orphans of St. Peter's orphan asylum at Mountain Rock grove. Miss Cahill bears all the expense of the outing and her kind act is worthy of being followed by more people in this city, especially those who have plenty and to spare of this world's goods.

Will Wish Her Happiness.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Walter Haynes of Cambridge and Miss Ruth Blackburn, daughter of the Rev. Alexander Blackburn, formerly of this city.

The Congressional Committee.

There will be a meeting of the Fifth Congressional district committee at the office of John J. Hogan, Esq., Central block, Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

Some Late Locals.

John T. Mahan of Lawrence was arrested here today for alleged larceny of wearing apparel from Fred A. Stowell.

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ON MAYOR GILROY'S return from Europe, the Tammany chiefs will decide upon a candidate to head the municipal ticket.

THE FITCHBURG MAIL felicitates itself on an increasing subscription list despite the dull times. It may reasonably be expected to prosper in good times.

THE SUDDEN advance in the price of print cloths should give an impetus to the textile business. With higher prices the mills should be able to pay higher wages.

SOMETHING should be done to relieve the cemeterial aspect of the city hall grounds. It is not intended as a burial ground for officially decapitated politicians.

THAT BRAINTREE officer who shot a railway official by mistaking him for a thief, should get a leather medal. Some policemen are courageous when no danger is nigh.

MRS. CUSHING, who testified against Sergt. Sheehan of Boston, has been raided. It is plain that if she paid for police protection there is a breach of agreement on the part of the police.

A NEW style of coffin has been invented with inside spring arrangement by which the corpse can open the door and step out if he or she sees fit. There is no telling where the ingenuity of man will stay its inventive progress.

JERRY SULLIVAN of Lawrence is much interested in the congressional contest in the fifth district, although he has not discovered any new candidate. He says he wants to see the right man nominated, whosoever that may be.

AS A result of the first pay day after the reopening of the mills, the number of drunks Saturday night was beyond the usual number. For hundreds of men it was the first occasion for many moons when they had the money to pay for a drink.

GOV. MCKINLEY must oppose T. B. Reed at a disadvantage in Maine. They are both presidential candidates, and the pharisaical McKinley comes to Maine ostensibly to aid in rolling up a big republican victory, but in reality to take prestige that might redound to Reed alone.

DR. S. L. WARD suggests the formation of a taxpayers' league for the purpose of reducing the tax rate. The suggestion is a good one, as a body of taxpayers could occasionally give their views upon proposed expenditures, and in many cases defeat schemes projected by speculators for the benefit of private concerns. By all means let us have a taxpayers' league.

THERE is some hard work before the democratic city committee this year in swelling the list of voters in lieu of those dropped. About 1200 names were dropped and it will require hard and persistent work to get as many registered. Mr. Sullivan at the democratic headquarters together with some of the most effective workers are engaged upon the work and are having much success. There is a prospect that there will be a good round majority of democrats on the list when registration closes.

THE UNEMPLOYED IN MASSACHUSETTS.

Horace G. Wadlin in the 24th annual report of labor statistics throws some light on the question of the unemployed in Massachusetts.

It appears from the tables showing the average number of days in which the various industries were operated in 1892 and 1893, that in three only was the average larger last year than in 1892. Carpet industries showed the greatest decrease, having fallen off from 303 to 247 days.

The table includes 4397 different kinds of industry. In commenting upon the number of unemployed, Mr. Hamlin shows that if but one man were dropped from each of these industries the number would be 4397, if ten were dropped from each it would be 43,970 and so on. If the industries of the country were considered it would not be difficult thus to account for the entire army of unemployed numbering millions.

It is quite probable that Mr. Hamlin's report for the present year will shed more light on the causes of unemployment than will the report of the state commission appointed to investigate the causes.

THE CONDITION of our streets is not what it should be. Many of the streets are muddy and full of holes so that pedestrians are in danger of accident. The street committee alone is responsible because had Supt. Crowley been given sufficient funds he would have kept all the streets as they should be. The money has been expended on the boulevard and on First street rather than upon the streets which bear the greatest traffic from day to day. A street patrol should be provided for the purpose of driving along the streets and filling any hole or unevenness likely to inconvenience travellers. Two men with a load of broken stone or gravel continually searching for defects in the streets would remedy much of the evils complained of and keep the streets in a uniformly good condition.

CHINA is offering great inducement to men to enter the army. The sum of $100 a month and the guarantee of $5000 in case of death, is an enormous sum as money goes in China. Yet this is insufficient to induce Chinamen to run any great risk. If Japan keeps on killing the Celestials, the Chinese national debt will be large enough to impoverize the whole nation.

THE DEMOCRATS of the first New Hampshire district have nominated John B. Nash the "Fog Horn of Conway" for congress and Cy Sulloway the "Tall Pine of the Merrimack" has been nominated by the republicans. A joint debate between the two is called for. It is believed that from an eminence both men can be heard over their entire district.

HERE IS good advice from the Haverhill Gazette: "Young men, keep clear of secret, proscriptive organizations. Some smart chap will get the list of names and sell it to the managers of both parties, then you will feel the blight of your political aspirations. If you doubt this statement, ask some old know-nothing of 1853-58."

THROUGH THE kinetograph the public can witness a diminutive representation of a six round fight between Corbett and Courtney as true to life as anything could be. Every movement is photographed and reproduced as continuously as is the tunes on the phonograph. It is a wonderful machine.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

As They Talk In Chicago.

It would puzzle a stranger to judge of the conversational abilities of Chicago men by the chat which usually follows a meeting of friends on the street. This is one chat taken verbatim:

"Hello, old man!"

"Hello yourself. How's tricks?"

"Oh, so, so; can't kick. How's things coming with you?"

"Right along. Haven't seen you for a month. How you taking it?"

"Easy. Anything new with you?"

"Not a thing. Same old song. Well, so long."

"So long. Take care of yourself."

One of the men was a bank president, the other a wholesale dry goods merchant.

A board of trade leader met a prominent insurance manager. Both are well read men of wide information and are accounted good after dinner speakers. It was:

"Hello, old man!"

"Hello, Billy. How's tricks?"

"Nothing extra; about the same. How's the world using you?"

"Can't kick in these times. How's your conduct?"

"Same as usual. Anything new up your way?"

"Not a thing. Same old song. Going my way?"

"No. So long."

"Well, so long. Look out for yourself."

A Dearborn street lawyer met a LaSalle street lawyer. They are high in legal circles, have a fine standing in court and are cultivated, refined gentlemen. It was:

"Hello, old man!"

"Why, hello. How are you?"

"First class. How's your corporosity?"

"Haven't a word to say. Business good?"

"Some coming in. Nothing to brag of. How's the world using you?"

"Can't complain. Don't see much of you. What's new with you?"

"Nothing. Same thing as usual. How's it coming with you?"

"So so. Getting a living. Well, so long, old man. I'll see you later."

"So long. Take care of yourself."

"Sure!"—Chicago Record.

The Refuge of the Destitute.

"They tell me Jones is a complete failure."

"That's what!"

"Tried farmin?"

"Yes."

"An politics?"

"Yes."

"An preachin?"

"Yes."

"An schoolteachin?"

"Yes."

"An failed in all?"

"Yes."

"Well, what's he doin now?"

"He's a-editin of a newspaper."—Atlanta Constitution.

A Purpose In View.

"I wish you would tell Bloomfield a startling story," said Gaswell to Dukane.

"Why?"

"He has been eating onions, and I would like you to tell him something which would fairly take his breath away."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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SUNBEAMS.

Cautious.

His Wife—But, Henry, why do you wish to burn your love letters to me? Didn't you mean what you said in them?

Her Husband—Well, yes. But I've just made my will, and I don't want any lawyer to use them as proof of my insanity when I'm dead and gone.—New York Herald.

A Good Record.

A father of some marriageable daughters not far from here had occasion to have a sofa upholstered, and here is a list of what was found between the back and cushion: Forty-seven hairpins, 19 suspender buttons, 3 mustache combs, 13 needles, 35 cigarettes, 8 photographs, 217 pins, 76 grains of coffee, 46 cloves, 27 cuff buttons, 6 pocketknives, 15 poker chips, a vial of homeopathetic medicine, 34 lumps of chewing gum, 50 toothpicks, 28 matches, 89 collar buttons, 11 neckties, 2 love letters, a few pieces of candy, 2 dimes, 8 quarters, 1 nickel, 8 buckles, 5 lead pencils, 1 pen and 4 buttonhooks.—Mount Vernon Argus.

Anticipatory.

Clerk (of summer hotel pleasantly)—Do you know any one in the house, sir?

Castleton—My fiancee is here.

Clerk—Indeed. Which young lady might that be?

Castleton—I don't know. I haven't met her yet.—New York Sun.

Did Him a Distinct Favor.

Miss Maunders—He proposed, but I refused to marry him.

Miss Caustique—Oh, you noble, generous girl! You're always doing some kindness for other people.—Chicago Record.

A Dangerous Remedy.

Van Ishe—So the doctors held a consultation about your case?

Doolittle—Yes, and I believe they decided by a two-thirds vote to amend my constitution.—New York World.

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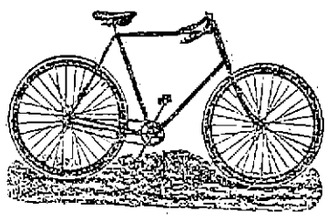

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40 dozen Fast Black Seamless Ipswich Hose, worth 19c, now 12½c a pair.
50 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Hose, worth 12c, 3 pairs for 25c.
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23 dozen Ladies' Fast Black and Tan Hose, worth 25c, now 19c a pair.
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A LIVELY FIGHT FOR CHOICE OF COMMANDER.

Four Prominent Candidates For Jack Adams' Place.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 11.—The ninth annual convention of naval veterans was held in the room of the Allegheny County Bar association yesterday afternoon. There were 200 delegates present. Rear Admiral Osborn presided. His annual report showed a very encouraging condition of affairs, notwithstanding the defalcation of the fleet's paymaster last year.

When the Indianapolis convention adjourned there was not a dollar in the treasury and the association was heavily in debt. During the past year all the old accounts has been settled, as well as all bills of the present administration. In closing, Rear Admiral Osborn stated that having served four terms he would like to be relieved of the duties of his office.

National Secretary Bostwick's report showed that charters had been issued to seven local associations during the year in the cities of Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Boston, Annapolis, Md., Lowell, Mass., and Rockford, Ills.

Second Vice President Allen of the northern Ohio department proposed a resolution asking congress at its next session to so amend the laws regarding enlisted men in the navy that those competent may aspire to higher positions. The resolution was supported by the shipmates, and it was decided to memorialize congress. As the laws stand, enlisted men cannot rise above the rank of warrant officers.

After the reading of reports and presentation of a large number of resolutions, which were referred, Francis Ball of Hartford was elected commander.

The "tars" brought their day to a close by holding a "dog watch" in old city hall last night. The hall was magnificently decorated in nautical decorations and patriotic colors. A number of distinguished speakers were present.

The Parade.

Nearly 1000 ex-seamen, representing some 8000 members scattered over the country, participated in the annual parade. It was the largest turnout and the finest in point of appearance in the history of the organization.

Each member was expected to report in his best mustering uniform, with new, clean badge, ribbons and white gloves, and after the critical eye of Rear Admiral Osborn had swept over each division, from the head to the rear of the column, he declared with pride that his comrades could not have gotten themselves into better trim, even if they had been still in active service.

A Grand Reception.

The social event of the day was a reception by Mrs. George Westinghouse at her suburban residence, Solitude, given to the visiting ladies. Some of the guests who have attended similar affairs pronounce this the most gorgeous ever seen. The flower decorations were the finest ever seen in this city. Henry Watterson, ex-Governor Beaver and all of the prominent national officers of the Grand Army were present.

Many reunions were held during the day and evening by members of different regiments and many were the reminiscences exchanged.

One of the features of the first day of the encampment was the performance of Fred Emile' new composition of "War and Peace" at the exposition. This musical spectacle, dedicated to the encampment, was given by the Thirteenth Regiment band of New York, a grand chorus of 400 voices, a company from the Pennsylvania National Guard, Ransom Post, No. 500, of St. Louis, and a battery of artillery, all under the direction of the composer. There were about 20,000 people present.

Lively Politics.

Canvassing has been going on briskly in all directions in connection with the Grand Army. Of the four candidates for the office of commander-in-chief, each has a pretty strong backing among the delegates to encampment. John Long of Michigan has an enthusiastic following, but the friends of Colonel Lawler of Illinois claim to have almost all the northwestern states behind him, while the supporters of Colonel Walker of Indiana assert that they have promises enough to carry him through. The Texas aspirant, John D. Bigger, also has plenty of friends who are confident of his ability to win.

Louisville and St. Paul are making a strong fight between them for the next encampment. The Louisville delegation, however, claim to have promises enough from the various departments to result in a majority of the national delegates voting in favor of that city. Kansas City is also pushing her claims for recognition.

Throughout the day and evening numerous reunions were held in different parts of the city.

The sidewalks are inadquate to accommodate the throngs along them in the streets. The street cars and vehicles are almost blockaded. Taken altogether, Pittsburg has never before enjoyed such a state of animation. Innumerable bands marched through the streets last night, serenading the newspapers and prominent people.

Ready For the Grave.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The coffin containing the remains of the Count of Paris was yesterday sealed in the presence of the members of the count's family. The scene was a most touching one. The coffin was today placed in the marble salon of Stowe house, and the public was again permitted to view the casket.

A New Organization.

DENVER, Sept. 11.—Two hundred delegates opened the national convention of the Traveling Engineers' association here today. The association is a new and secret organization, whose object is to improve the locomotive engineer service of American railways.

Revenge by Poisoning.

PIEDMONT, Ala., Sept. 11.—Two members of the family of Ed S. Downes have died from drinking water out of a poisoned well, while two more are not expected to recover. A discharged servant is suspected of the crime.

Corset Stays Saved Her.

RICHMOND, Ky., Sept. 11.—At the Mt. Pleasant Christian church William Sixsmith shot at the organist, Mrs. Jones. Her corset stays saved her life. Sixsmith escaped. No cause is known for the attempted murder.

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BIG DECLINE IN CORN CROPS.

MILLIONS OF ACRES CUT FOR FODDER.

The Wheat Crop is Very Large—Statistics of Other Crops in the United States.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The report of the statistician of the department of agriculture for the month of September shows a decline in the condition of corn to 63.4 from 69.1 in the month of August, and 95 in the month of July. This is a decline of 5.7 points from the month of August and 31.6 from the July condition. The change is marked in nearly all of the great corn states.

The present condition is 75 in Kentucky, 70 in Ohio, 55 in Michigan, 80 in Indiana, 78 in Illinois, 61 in Wisconsin, 60 in Minnesota, 40 in Iowa, 50 in Missouri, 45 in Kansas, 15 in Nebraska and 16 in South Dakota. In most of the southern states the condition has risen and a good crop is certain.

In addition to the unfavorable prospects arising from the low condition of the growing crop, reports from eight states, viz: Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and South Dakota, in response to a special inquiry, show that out of an aggregate of 40,874,984 acres planted in these states there have been cut up for fodder or abandoned 15,500,000 acres, or 38 per cent, which is a little over 20 per cent of the entire area planted in the country.

The percentage of that cut up or abandoned by states reporting is as follows: Indiana, 8; Illinois, 10; Wisconsin, 21; Iowa, 35; Missouri, 16; Kansas, 51; Nebraska, 81; South Dakota, 81.

Wheat.

The condition of wheat, considering both winter and spring varieties when harvested, was 83.7, against 74 last year and 85.9 in 1892.

The reported conditions from the correspondents for the principal wheat-growing states are as follows: Ohio, 102; Michigan, 91; Indiana, 103; Illinois, 101; Wisconsin, 92; Minnesota, 94; Iowa, 92; Missouri, 91; Kansas, 58.1; Nebraska, 40; South Dakota, 52; North Dakota, 74; California, 88; Oregon, 88; Washington, 87; New York, 86; Pennsylvania, 91; Maryland, 98; Virginia, 78; Tennessee, 78; West Virginia, 93; Kentucky, 92; Texas, 92.

In the principal wheat states there has been considerable improvement in conditions in July report in parts of the wheat region. The crop is fully up to expectation, and in other parts the yield has exceeded expectation. The average condition of oats is reported at 77.8, against 76.5 Aug. 1, 77.7 on July 1 and 87 June 1.

Rye and Barley.

The returns for rye show an average condition of 89.9, against 82 a year ago.

The condition of barley has risen nearly 2 points during the month, the September average standing at 71.5, against 69.8 in August.

There is a decline in September conditions of buckwheat of 12½ points from that of August, the general average being 69.2, against 77.5 last year.

The area under clover seed is reported at 71.9 of that of 1893. The condition is given as 69.2, which is much below the average, thus indicating a very short crop.

The general average of condition for rice is 89.49.

The average condition of apples has fallen during last month from 44 to 40.8.

The condition of peaches is 21.1; potatoes, 82.4, a decline of 12 points since last month.

The condition of tobacco is 74.5, against 75.9 last month.

Was Probably Insane.

LANESBORO, Mass., Sept. 11.—The Mack barn was burned yesterday. Later, the dead body of George Hall, 70 years old, was hanging in a room in which he lived alone. In a temporary fit of insanity Hall probably set fire to the barn and then took his own life. Hall had been postmaster of Lanesboro and was well known hereabouts.

His Side Torn Open.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—William H. Clegg, in the employ of the Globe Nickel Plating company, was standing on a ladder adjusting a belt to a pulley. He lost his balance and fell, and in his descent struck on a lathe. His side was torn open and he was badly cut. It is thought that he will die from his injuries.

Left New Haven Behind.

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 11.—Horace L. Carter has skipped town, taking with him, it is alleged, an amount of money, estimated all the way from $32 to $250. Carter was grand marshal of the industrial procession Labor day, and the money was part of that with which it was intended to defray expenses.

A Blunder Corrected.

OTTAWA, Sept. 11.—The admiral on the Esquimalt station has recognized that the commander of H. M. S. Pheasant made a blunder when he took from a United States man-of-war the sealing schooner Wanderer in Behring sea a short time ago. The admiral has released the schooner.

Held In $5000 Bonds.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Sept. 11.—Tower Operator Hodgkins, charged with causing the wreck in the Hoosac Tunnel, has been placed under $5000 bonds for trial on a charge of manslaughter. Brakeman Frazer, who was injured in the wreck, died yesterday.

The Law Was Broken.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 11.—It is now known definitely that Judge Depue will charge the grand jury to find indictments against Corbett and Courtney, who fought a six-round contest at Edison's laboratory before the camera of the kinetoscope.

Let the Good Work Go On.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—There was a general resumption in the glass business in South Jersey yesterday. Millville, Clayton, Williamstown, Glassboro, Malaga, Bridgeton and Woodbury factories all went into full blast.

His Health Is Failing.

QUEBEC, Sept. 11.—Cardinal Taschereau has resigned the archbishopric of Quebec, owing to failing health. Mgr. Begin, his coadjutor, will assume the work.

Partially Destroyed by Fire.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 11.—The business portion of Sidney was burned. Loss, 200,000.

Haven't Amalgamated.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The Central Labor union last night effected permanent organization as a political party, but no definite action was taken toward merging their forces with the People's party, which was strongly urged.

Brush Fires Only.

DULUTH, Sept. 11.—There are now no serious fires on any lines near here except the Northern Pacific. The fires around Barnum were chiefly in the brush, and were not dangerous.

The Battle at Kilwa.

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—It is officially announced that the tribesmen who attacked the German port of Kilwa off the East African coast have been repulsed.

THEY ARE NOT WORRIED.

Mississippi State Officials Charged With Violating Counterfeit Laws.

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 11.—Warrants were yesterday sworn out for the arrest of the following state officers of Mississippi: J. M. Stone, governor; W. W. Stone, auditor, and J. J. Evans, state treasurer.

William J. Burns, a special agent of the secret service bureau at Washington, who has been here for the past two months working on the special warrant case, made affidavits before Commissioner Morley, charging them with violating section 5530 of the revised statutes of the United States in issuing the $200,000 special warrants charged to be in the similitude of the United States currency. The warrant was placed in the hands of United States Marshal McNeil.

Auditor Stone appeared before the commissioner and entered into personal recognizance of $1000 for his appearance at the November term of the federal court, waiving examination. The warrants have not been served on Governor Stone, who was officially engaged, nor on State Treasurer Evans, who is out of the city. They will be served on the governor today, and on the treasurer when he returns. The affidavit contains three charges, covering each of the denominations of warrants, with a photograph print of both front and back of the same.

The state officials have been expecting these proceedings for several days, and were not therefore the least surprised when served. They appear not at all disturbed, and are sanguine of the successful termination of the issue.

A Severe Arraignment.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The Times this morning publishes an article on Mr. Gladstone's recent subscription of £100 to the Irish parliamentary fund. The article represents that the fund has been and is even now supported by the physical force party. It says that Mr. Gladstone and Baron Tweedmouth can hardly pretend ignorance of the history of the fund. Its old American subscribers, it adds, are now a body thirsting for revenge. If privy councillors do not shrink from appearing in the same list with dynamiters, the latter will hardly consent to appear with privy councillors. Even Irish American politicians have scruples, even the Clan-na-Gael has its point of honor.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The cotton crop shows a decline.

Dalton, O., was devastated by fire.

Ten Fairfield (O.) icehouses were burned.

Sidney (Wash.) was partially destroyed by fire.

A destructive electric storm occurred at Huntley, Ills.

Preparations are being made for another census in Massachusetts.

Three new cases of smallpox were reported in New York city.

Heavy rains caused overflows of streams in and near Rochelle, Ills.

Ezeta ridicules the proposed Central American union of governments.

The William Oliver homestead at Avon, Mass., was damaged by fire to the extent of $100.

Howard Murray, 12 years old, was drowned in Winthrop's Cove, New London, Conn.

The American Society of Irrigation Engineers is holding its second annual convention in Denver.

A charter of incorporation was issued to "The Society of the War of 1812 in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

The treasurer of the Manchester lodge of Odd Fellows of East Boston was arrested on the charge of embezzling the funds of the organization.

Says She Committed Murder.

NASHUA, N. H., Sept. 11.—City Marshal Eaton has received a letter from Lina Herbert, who is now in the Concord insane asylum, saying that she murdered Alfred K. Walker and his sister Mary by poison 14 years ago. It is thought that the letter was prompted by insanity.

A Majority of 27,310.

RUTLAND, Vt., Sept. 11.—Certified election returns show the Republican majority to be 27,310, and the plurality 28,350. The senate is a Republican unit, and the house stands as follows: Republicans, 233; Democrats, 9; Populists, 1. Three towns made no choice.

A Close Call.

BESSEMER, Mich., Sept. 11.—The entire city fire department and several hundred citizens were fighting fire all night near the Gogebic powder mill. Had the fire reached the mill the entire city would have been demolished and hundreds of lives lost.

Waiting For a Raise.

SUNCOOK, N. H., Sept. 11.—The Pembroke, Webster and China mills opened their gates yesterday and gave their help a chance to go in, but the strikers say they will not go back until prices are raised or until Fall River raises wages.

On the Old Scale.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Sept. 11.—There is no change in the strike situation, except that the City mill started up yesterday. The usual number of help employed in this mill returned to work at the old rate of wages.

Shot Her Friend.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Sept. 11.—Miss Mary Callahan of Walnut Grove accidentally shot Miss Flora Marsh, a schoolmate, in the head. The girl died shortly afterward without regaining consciousness.

Up Another Point.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 11.—The print cloth market raised a point yesterday, 50,000 pieces being sold at 3 cents, with the market firm at that price. Mills were moderate sellers.

Vacation Ended.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—United States Ambassador Bayard has returned from the Mediterranean, where he has been enjoying a trip on board the steam yacht Electra.

Report Was Probably Untrue.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 11.—Nothing is known here concerning a massacre of a government surveying party in this vicinity, as reported from San Francisco.

Captain Crosby's Explanation.

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 11.—The tug Bismarck, from down river, had on board Captain Crosby and the mate of the English steamer Baron Belhaven, which skipped for sea Sunday afternoon without clearing from the custom house. The steamer went aground near Prospect, and was found by the revenue cutter Woodbury, which had been sent in chase of her. The captain says he was drunk and did not know what he was doing when he sailed away.

A Freak of Nature.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Rev. E. C. Towne reports that during a thunder storm a large ball of fire fell in a vacant lot in Austin. A hole several feet in diameter and of considerable depth was left in the ground, and the earth for 20 feet around was cracked.

Thriving In an Incubator.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 11.—A girl baby that weighed but one pound was born at Crescent Park Labor day, and is still alive. The child was prematurely born and was immediately placed under incubator treatment. As a result she now weighs two pounds, and the chords of the mouth and throat, which were not sufficiently developed to permit eating, have improved. The parents of the child are Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Brien of Fall River, Mass.

Expulsion of a Prominent Turfman.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Turfman Monroe Salisbury was yesterday expelled from the trotting turf by the judges of the postponed 2:16 race, which brought the grand circuit trotting meeting to a close. The offense for which this severe measure was meted out as punishment was Mr. Salisbury's alleged removal of the trotting mare Expressive from the Fleetwood track without the permission of the judges.

Emperors Are For Peace.

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—Dr. Witte, Russian minister of finance, says that the czar desires to be at peace with the whole world. It is a great mistake, Dr. Witte adds, to suppose that Russia is disposed to violate peace for the sake of France, and it is lamentable that the armaments of the nations continue to be enlarged, when the emperors of Russia, Germany and Austria desire peace.

Dangerous Wreck Marked.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The lighthouse board has issued a notice that on Sept. 7 a gaslighted buoy painted black and showing a fixed white light was moored to mark the dangerous wreck of the schooner Mary J. Castner, recently sunk between Pollock Rip and Chatham, Mass.

Quite an Increase.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The annual report of the second comptroller of the currency shows that the total number of accounts, claims and cases settled during the fiscal year ending June 30 last involved $280,802,002, an increase in the last fiscal year of $74,000,000.

No Corruption, Says Gilroy.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Mayor Gilroy has returned from his European trip. To a reporter he said regarding the reform meeting held last week: "I tell you there is nothing to reform. I know that corruption does not exist in the municipal government."

Can't Pay Dividends.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Justice O'Brien has appointed James W. Gerard referee to pass upon the petition of the Liberty Insurance company for a voluntary dissolution. The company was organized in 1887. No dividends have been paid since 1891.

Struck a Church Spire.

DEERFIELD, Mass., Sept. 11.—During a storm yesterday afternoon the spire of the Unitarian church was struck by lightning and badly damaged.

Fish Don't Bite.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., Sept. 11.—Messrs. Cleveland, Lamont and Bryant fished all day yesterday with indifferent luck.

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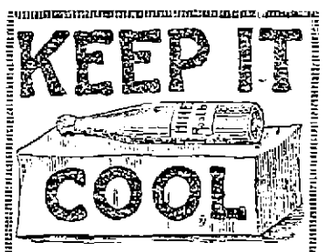

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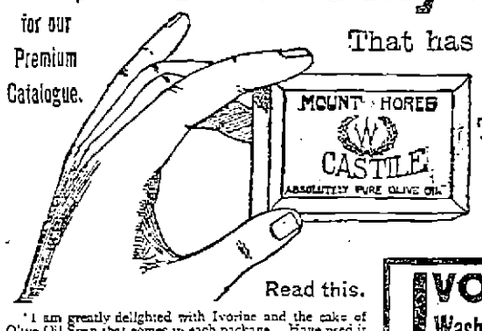

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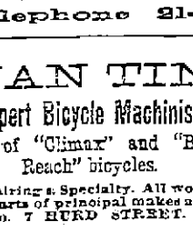

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SUN SETS ..... 6 01 | HIGH WATER ..... 9 00 A
LENGTH OF DAY ..... 12 41 | FULL SEA ..... 9 00 P

Forecast for New England: Fair, preceded by showers in northern parts of Maine; cooler, except stationary temperature in the vicinity of Eastport; westerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The Kitson company is said to have made $60,000 last year.

The work of paving New Appleton street will soon be commenced.

Joseph A. Coram is to erect a new residence on Marlborough street.

Will the general public ever have a chance to inspect the new truant school.

Peter A. Fay will be a candidate for county commissioner on the democratic ticket.

Wm. A. Delmage of Fourth street, is laid up with a broken arm caused by a fall from a tree Friday.

Undertaker Brooks has a burglar and fire proof casket which can be opened by a person inside of it.

The incorporators of the new Lowell trotting association will meet and organize at Portland this week.

Last night's storm did great damage to fruit trees and immense quantities of unripe fruit will be wasted.

Workmen on the Centralville sewer have struck another ledge, between Billings street and the open trench.

The Y. M. C. A. gives a reception to young men employed in the cotton and woolen mills tomorrow night.

Miss Adelaide E. Noyes will entertain her friends at her home on Princeton street tomorrow evening on the occasion of the opening of 15 night blooming cereus.

Gardner W. Pearson may decline as a candidate for the state central committee, and in such case there will be a lively hustle among young democrats to get the coveted place.

J. L. Chalifoux reports lately a large increase in his sales over the corresponding weeks of last year. His great assortment of novelties in fall suits certainly accounts for part of this increase.

Many of the young voters of Ward Two believe that if land there was all taxed by the square foot instead of by the acre, as in many instances, that portion of the city would grow and develop as a residential section.

The choir at the First Primitive M. E. church on Gorham street has organized with Fred Pickles, president, Miss Montford, secretary, and T. H. Husband, treasurer. Rehearsals will be held on Friday evenings.

Will Put Up Candidates.

L. W. Weeks is to address the populists at their headquarters tomorrow evening. Nomination papers of candidates are to be drawn up.

Who Are To Be Married.

The latest marriage intentions received at the city clerk's office were those of Fred N. Dubois and Jennie E. R. Wheaton, Walter B. Lowe and Bertha W. Shaw, James H. Powers and Margaret T. Braddy.

Going to College.

The following Lowell boys go to college this year: Arthur Hatch, Perry Thompson, James M. Abbett and Eric Greenhalge, to Harvard; Robert F. Marden, Dartmouth; George Pillsbury, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Fred D. Shepard and Royden H. Pillsbury begin their senoir year at Dartmouth today.

Young Man's Serious Accident.

While stepping from the 7.45 train in Lawrence last evening, Thomas Larkin made a misstep, and fell on the track, the wheels of one of the cars, passing over one of his feet. He was removed to the hospital, where Mrs. Dow and Sargent amputated the foot. Larkin belongs in this city and started on a visit to Lawrence last evening.

Hen Poisoning Case.

The little village of Gilmanville in Tewksbury is excited over a case of hen poisoning. William Burke and Ellen Avery, it is alleged, have not got along well together of late though they are next door neighbors. Burke has had three or four of his hens die recently and it seems that they were poisoned with arsenic. He claims Mrs. Avery administered the poison and had a warrant served on her, but she was acquitted yesterday.

An Eclipse On Friday.

There will be an eclipse of the moon on Friday night. The affair will begin at 9.36 o'clock. The first part of the eclipse will be visible from the western parts of Europe and Africa, and over all of North and South America.

But before it has lasted long the Europeans will be out of it, and the show thenceforth will be a purely American one.

At 10.30 o'clock the eclipse will be at its maximum, and at 11.28 the moon will triumphantly emerge from the shadow.

Spun Yarns of Their Trip.

A supper was given in the Reform club last evening in honor of Mr. Frank Burns, janitor, and Mr. Hugh Williams, another member, both of whom have just returned from the other side of the water. The Ladies' auxiliary assisted in the arrangements. Supper was served to 150 at 8 o'clock, after which Mr. Richard Hallowell called to order, and in behalf of the members presented Messrs. Burns and Williams with handsome badges. Both gentlemen responded and gave an account of their travels. A musical program followed.

ABOUT LIQUOR SEIZURES.

Information Given to a Correspondent of THE SUN.

A subscriber writes to THE SUN for information regarding the seizure of liquor by police officers.

The matter is covered by chapter 100 of the public statutes. The mode of procedure of the liquor officers is, in the first place, to arm themselves with a search warrant which permits them to search the house mentioned in the complaint and to seize and any and all liquors found there, together with vessels and furniture used in the sale of the liquor.

All liquor seized is taken to the police station and the seizure officers return the warrant with a list of the liquor, etc., taken, written on its back. They then make out a notice of forfeiture, enumerating the articles to be forfeited. Two such notices are thus made out, one of which is posted on the house from which the seizure was made and the other is sent to the defendant. On the day when the matter of forfeiture comes up in police court, if the persons from whom the liquor was taken can show that it was for their own use, and not for sale, the officers are obliged by law to return it to its owners. If the parties, however, fail to show this the liquor is sent to Chief Wade of the district police and is sold the money thus obtained if in excess of the expenses, being turned into the state treasury.

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Smokers enjoy Old Hundred cigars.

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E. A. Wilson, coal dealer, is selling coal at lowest cash prices; call at 51 Merrimack street.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

George Flint extinguished a blaze in a Lawrence street car Sunday by the use of some chemicals which he had in his store.

Prof. Borjes has returned to this city and has opened his school for teaching the violin; for further particulars call at 31 Tyler street.

A true, life-like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barristers' hall and have a sitting made.

The new Hale's brook channel is completed and as stated some time ago the old Plain street bridge will now go and the bed of the brook will be filled in at that point. The water shed of the driven well system now has almost perfect drainage.

Supply Was Running Low.

The continued drouth has had its effect upon the supply of water at the driven wells and the yield has fallen off about a million gallons daily, the amount pumped being not far from two million gallons.

An Overcrowded Institution.

The jail at Thorndike street is overcrowded and prisoners have to be transferred to East Cambridge almost every week. Yesterday, 20 were taken below by Sheriff Cushing.

Practice of Medicine.

A test case is to be made on the bill to regulate the practice of medicine, according to the Boston Post. A number of medical men known as the "irregulars" are preparing to have the supreme bench pass upon the question of its constitutionality.

Choral Singing Begins.

Dr. Fix's chorus held its first rehearsal in the First Congregational church last evening. The chorus comprises some of the best singers in the city. Over 130 names are now on the list of applicants. The first public work will be a concert in aid of the W. C. T. U.

Up in a Balloon.

Prof. Wolcott did not make his parachute jump at Lakeview yesterday owing to the unfavorable condition of the weather. His assistant is Curtis Waite who has had considerable experience in the business. Mr. Waite will probably make a few ascensions this week, while the professor himself will go up today.

SCHOOL OPENING DAY

Notes Taken From the Several Schools in Regard to the Attendance, etc.

Miss Battles is the assistant to Miss Kennedy, temporary principal at the Varnum school, instead of Miss Balch, as stated yesterday, the latter young lady going to a lower grade to fill the place supplied by Miss Usher during last term. The term opened in this school under very favorable auspices and with a large attendance.

It is said that at the high school one of the teachers was counted off as a pupil to go into another room for classification, yesterday, much to the amusement of the pupils when the joke was discovered.

There were 685 pupils reported at the high school and 50 more are expected before the end of the week. The increase over opening day last year was 118. Of the number received this year 233 came from the grammar schools.

LOWELL'S BOWLING CRAZE.

IT IS STILL TALKED ABOUT IN OTHER PLACES.

Gossip in Regard to the League Schedule and the Sub-Division of the Classes—Vespers, Highlands and Miserables Are in It.

Once more the talk of the sports is bowling and the teams in the big league are beginning to get into shape for the fall and winter tournament. The Boston athletic association is mapping out a very interesting program. The B. A. A. bowlers will come together in a week. Big improvements are being made in their alleys including the placing of a bowler and electrical ventilating apparatus which will keep a constant supply of fresh air in the alleys, removing the cigar smoke which sometimes gets dense during the progress of a game. The league teams will be selected from 20 of the association's best bowlers.

The Norfolk house Casino team will be strong this fall. Its would-be members are now practicing. Capt. George A. Smith will head the team it is expected.

How about the champions? The Vespers of this city are the champions of the first division, and the make up of the team will not be changed materially. Grover, Corwin, Goulding, Thorpe and Harris being the team. Corwin and Goulding won their spurs as star bowlers some two years ago. Grover was one of last year's "phenoms" and Thorpe the left handed bowler made a good record.

Lowell isn't satisfied with one champion team for in the third division the crack Les Miserables swept everyone else off the alleys and afterwards beat the Vespers. Les Miserables will put up the same team as before. "Veteran" Jim McLaughlin never was stronger in his life, and Swift, Seede, Purcell, Marren and Farrell are in good shape. Keep your eye on the Belvidere team this fall.

The make-up of the other teams are not as yet known.

The league is puzzled over the make-up of the divisions at present. A year ago the teams were grouped on the basis of pins knocked down in the matches of the preceding season. This year as the Vespers and Highlands are in the same division there will be much more travel for the other teams in that division, and hence some objections have been made to the pin classification plan. The committee appointed at the last meeting to arrange this division consists of W. J. Follett, Newton; S. T. Whittier, Vesper; F. A. Nichols, Old Dorchester; W. W. Orne, 909th Artillery; G. A. Lloyd, Arlington; J. H. Aubin, Gilston. This committee is to report Sept. 28 and is now considering the plan of splitting the league into two divisions separating the distinctively social club from the bowling organizations.

A General Call

to all the inhabitants of Lowell and vicinity to buy our teas and coffees and get useful presents. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

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NOT MEAT TO HIS TASTE.

Keeper—I thought you was workin' up at Morley's farm, Giles.
Giles—Well, so I wer; but two week ago t'ord cow died, and we 'ad to eat 'im; and next week t' pig died, and we 'ad to eat 'im; an' this mornin' t' master's mother-in-law died, so I thought—I'd leave.—Pall Mall Budget.

Miss Rose Dubois is visiting in Canada.

Calvin N. Lassonde has entered the Boston Dental College.

Messrs. Delphis Billeville, and Ephrem Pelletier have returned from Canada.

Rev. C. W. Huntington will debate with Henry B. Blackwell, husband of the late Lucy Stone Blackwell, on "Equal Suffrage," tomorrow night.

Last evening Prof. Stroud of the Y. M. C. A., commenced his fall and winter course of instruction in indoor athletics. He intends to make the business men's class a special feature this year.

Mrs. John Sullivan of No. 4 Williams street, is in receipt of a chip of a famous rock in Castleton, Berehaven, County Cork, brought over by her neice from Ireland, and of which she is very proud.

Overcome By Heat.

John Tucker, residing at 12 Seventh street, was overcome by the heat at Lakeview, yesterday, and was taken home.

A New Band.

Mr. Joseph McShane is organizing a band composed wholly of flutes, fifes, drums and cymbals. They have 22 men and the number will be increased.

The Bowling Last Night.

The Big 12s defeated the Farmers at Lakeview last evening by a score of 2297 to 2145. The teams were: Big 12—Sanborn, 424, McMahon 399, Gallagher 502, Rawson 467, Viney 505; total 2297. Farmers—Sturtevant 408, Kirby 386, Hawes 416, Barton 450, Leighton 485; total 2145. The Farmers are Win Sturtevant's "Unknowns," which were recently discovered in the hay fields of Ward Four.

SEVERELY TROUNCED.

Anson's Pets Allowed the Bostons to Roll Up Twenty-Five Runs.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—On the very loose fielding of the Colts, the Champions threw them down, pounded them and rubbed it in until they were tired out. Two-thirds of the hits off Terry came after chances to retire the side had been neglected.

Boston	0	5	6	1	5	1	5	0	2	—25
Chicago	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	—8

Base hits—Boston, 20; Chicago, 12. Errors—Boston, 5; Chicago, 8. Batteries—Stivetts and Tenney; Terry and Schriver.

At Cleveland:

New York	0	2	0	0	1	0	5	0	5	—13
Cleveland	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—4

Base hits—New York, 17; Cleveland, 10. Errors—New York, 1; Cleveland, 4. Batteries—Rusie and Farrell; Sullivan and O'Connor.

At Louisville:

Baltimore	2	0	3	3	3	1	3		3	—15
Louisville	3	0	1	1	0	1	0		0	—3

Base hits—Baltimore, 12; Louisville, 11. Errors—Baltimore, 2; Louisville, 5. Batteries—Esper and Robinson; Inks and Lake. Game called on account of darkness.

Queen Bridget Is Dead.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 11.—Bridget T. Gorman, known as the queen of gypsies in America, died at her camp near this city, aged 85. She has ruled in America since the death of her husband, King John Gorman, two years ago, and will be succeeded by her son, Bartley Gorman, under a regency. The queen lived a roaming life all her days, and was popular with her subjects.

A Vermont Mystery.

FAIRLEE, Vt., Sept. 11.—A man's badly decomposed body, separated from the head, was found in the woods, near here, yesterday. A man named Johnson, who was addicted to drink, has been missing since July 1, and when last seen was near the spot where the body was found. A jug of rum was also found near by. The coroner is investigating.

Body to Be Exhumed.

NEWTON, N. H., Sept. 11.—The selectmen have taken active steps to solve the doubt about the suspicious deaths in the Peck family. The body of the father will be exhumed, and although there is no particularly strong chain of suspicion against any one, County Solicitor Hoyt has decided to hold the inquest to allay the public suspicion.

Sunk In Vineyard Sound.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Sept. 11.—The three-masted schooner Dora M. French of Bangor, Me., was sunk yesterday noon by the steamer Portia of Liverpool, N. S., about 1½ miles from Vineyard Sound lightship, during a thick fog and fresh southwest wind. The crew were rescued by the Portia.

Foreclosure Comes Next.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—T. J. Coolidge, Jr., of the reorganization committee of the New York and New England railroad, states that Judge Wallace of New York has signed the decree for the foreclosure of the mortgage on the property, and that the papers will be immediately forwarded and filed in this city.

Killed by Lightning.

WHATLEY, Mass., Sept. 11.—A Polander, whose name is unknown, was struck by lightning and instantly killed during the thunder storm here yesterday afternoon.

McWherrell Must Hang.

TORONTO, Sept. 11.—McWherrell, convicted of brutally murdering the old Williams couple on Dec. 4 last, has been refused a new trial and will be hanged.

Jail Burned Out.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 11.—The Hurley jail was gutted by fire. Prisoner Tom Gords started it in his cell, and was himself burned to a crisp.

I LIKE MY WIFE TO Use Pozzoni's Complexion Powder because it improves her looks and is as fragrant as violets.

THE CROP REPORT

Light Showers of Little Relief to Farmers.

FROST HAS DONE MUCH DAMAGE TO CROPS.

The Potato Crop Better Than Was Expected.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—According to the official reports of the New England weather service, United States weather bureau, the past week has seen a continuation of the drought throughout New England.

As a rule the correspondents report that the drought is felt more severely now than at any time during the season. In many instances streams, springs and wells that are known as almost unfailing are dry. In some sections from one-third to one-half the pastures are without water. The weather during the fore part of the week was warm, temperature somewhat above the average, and the atmosphere generally smoky and hazy. The latter part of the period was cool, and killing frosts, occasionally freezing temperatures, occurred in many sections of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

In some localities all vegetation subject to injury was killed by the frost, resulting in considerable damage to late vegetables, grass and berries. Farm work of all kinds has progressed with the fine weather. Therefore the crops, while light, will be safely and completely secured, and in excellent condition.

Garden Vegetables Suffered.

In Maine rain is needed more than ever, though the showers of the 8th gave temporary relief. The severe frosts in interior sections resulted in great damage to blueberries and garden vegetables generally. In nearly all parts of the state potatoes are being dug. In some places the yield is the average and the quality fine; in others the crop averages well and satisfactory. The rot is doing damage in some fields, but this is far from a general complaint.

In Aroostook county the harvest crops are nearly all secured in fair to fine condition. Potatoes are reported as selling at $1 a barrel. The Caribou correspondent reports fine harvest weather; warm first part of the week, but later very cool; temperature on the morning of the 8th ranging 8° below freezing. Here potatoes are being dug, yield light. In the vicinity of Houlton the grain is about all harvested. Potato digging is in progress, with an average yield. The frost of the 8th destroyed all vines, beans, etc., and killed all potato tops that were green.

No New Grass.

The reports from New Hampshire are generally favorable. The rain of the 8th did much good. Pastures, particularly in lowlands, will be greatly benefited, which will be the means of better fitting stock for fall feeding and wintering.

The potatoes are being dug in all sections, and as a rule the yield is about the average. Little rot is reported. Apples are a fair crop, but falling considerably, and will require early gathering. Tomatoes are plentiful, and most excellent quality. Pastures are very short, in some sections reported drying up.

At Grafton pastures are completely burned up; no water in any of them. The shower of the week in this part of the state was only sufficient to lay the dust. Corn is very good and being harvested. Near Newton the wells and springs are drying, and rain was never more needed than now. No new grass in any fields. In and about Deerfield all crops have suffered from the dry weather. The shower of the 8th was the first for several weeks.

Conditions Are Fair.

From Vermont come reports of a dry week. Showers occurred in most sections of this state on the 5th. There is probably less complaint in this state of the drought than any part of the district. Taken as an average, the season here compares favorably with other years. Potatoes are rotting some, but a very good crop will be secured.

Massachusetts was favored with rains in about all sections on the 8th, otherwise the week was dry. At Spencer the rain continued for two hours, and was followed by rising temperature, which was favorable to grass and roots. Corn, however, owing to the lateness of the season, cannot be improved by rain. Apples and pears are falling off and maturing too early.

Showers Barely Laid Dust.

Rhode Island reports another dry week, the rainfall in no section being more than sufficient to lay the dust. In some cases the question of water supply is growing serious. Wells and springs that have been used as a last resort have failed. Stock can be watered in many cases only with much labor and inconvenience. Moosup valley reports corn cutting in progress. The crop on low, moist ground is fair; on light and uplands, poor. The Kingston and other correspondents also report a continuation of dry weather. The crop and other conditions have changed little from those of previous weeks.

Fruits Ripening Earlier Than Usual.

In some sections of Connecticut the conditions have improved. In the vicinity of Meriden the rain of the 8th was sufficient for all growing crops, but the fall was not sufficient to renew wells, water courses and springs. Corn is reported ripening and will be a fairly good crop. New meadows in many cases will have to be reseeded.

Peaches are ripening, except the late varieties, and the fruit is excellent in quality. Grapes are plentiful, but the bunches are small and irregular. Apples promise a fair crop, though falling in some places. Gardens have improved very much.

The observer at South Manchester reports that all fruits are ripening earlier than usual, on account of the dry weather. For the same reason the apples are small in size. No feed starting here yet. Corn is being cut and will fall below the average. At Vernon Centre the corn is mostly cut. Here the crop conditions are improved as compared with last week. The reports of tobacco are generally favorable. In many places potato digging is finished, with a good yield and much better than expected.

Drought Affecting Milk Supply.

In about all sections of New England the dry weather is having a bad effect on the milk supply. This applies to quality and quantity. Owing to the early maturing of the crops there is less liability than usual of damage from frost in sections where it has not already occurred.

A GOOD IDEA.

Aliens In Our Country's Service Can Be Admitted to Citizenship.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Action has been taken by Admiral Ramsey, acting secretary of the navy, to carry out that feature of the last naval appropriation bill which provides for the naturalization of aliens serving in the navy and marine corps.

Under the section in question any foreigner who has served five years consecutively in either branch of the service mentioned, who has reached the age of 21, and who has been or may be honorably discharged, may be admitted to citizenship upon his petition without a previous declaration of his intention, upon furnishing to a proper court proof of good moral character and of his service.

Forty per cent of the enlisted men in these two branches of the service in round numbers are foreigners, and at least 30 per cent have expressed their desire to become naturalized, but find it difficult to comply with the necessary formalities on account of their service at sea. They will now be enabled to take out naturalization papers by a visit to any port where there is a United States court.

Admiral Ramsey made a general order yesterday calling attention to the new law and directing commanding officers of ships and stations to cause it to be read and explained to their men, and also posted in convenient places for reference.

Attempt to Open Mills Fails.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Sept. 11.—The employes of the Parkhill mill refused to resume work at from 3 to 7 per cent reduction in wages when the mill was reopened yesterday, after a three weeks' shutdown, and the mills are closed again.

Drowned In a Tub.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—Two-year-old Annie Rathwater, whose home was at 20 Sawyer street, was playing about the kitchen while her mother was washing, yesterday afternoon, when she fell into a tub of water and was drowned.

A Costly Ride.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—Eddie Bliss, 7 years of age, was riding on a stone team late yesterday afternoon and he fell off. The heavy wheels passed over his abdomen, and the boy was probably fatally injured.

Three Victims of a Wreck.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 11.—Spreading rails caused a wreck on the Shell Beach railroad. Julius Applehaus was killed, Willie Flick died of injuries and Engineer Crawford was badly hurt.

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Cramps, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, and all complaints prevalent in the Summer, are quickly cured with

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Cleaves' Majority Over Johnson Is Estimated to Be 37,000.

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 11.—Yesterday was a good day for Republicans and a correspondingly bad one for Democrats, but the result was not altogether unforeseen. While the Democrats admit defeat they do not show a symptom of discouragement. The Prohibitionists and Populists are not largely in evidence so far as returns indicate.

C. F. JOHNSON. H. B. CLEAVES.

Returns from over 100 cities and towns indicate that the state has re-elected Governor Cleaves (Rep.) over Charles E. Johnson (Dem.) by a majority exceeding 37,000, the largest in the history of the party. The Republicans have carried every county in the state, and it is estimated that the legislature will have a working Republican majority of 125, which insures the re-election of Senator W. P. Frye.

Thomas B. Reed has been re-elected to congress by a plurality estimated at 10,000. Nelson Dingley, Seth L. Milliken and C. A. Boutelle are also re-elected to congress by majorities ranging from 6000 to 9000. The total vote will probably exceed 110,000.

Here are the city votes:

Cities.	Cleaves.	Johnson.	Scatt.
Hallowell	214	51	110
Gardiner	551	74	90
Auburn	1,181	403	139
Saco	781	304	47
Lewiston	1,685	1,274	97
Bath	942	272	96
Biddeford	1,630	636	....
Calais	630	162	53
Waterville	844	634	40
Augusta	1,210	805	91
Portland	3,595	2,210	136

Biddeford completely turns over, having given in '92, Cleaves, 818; Johnson, 641; scattering, 14.

Coopers on Strike.

OMAHA, Sept. 11.—All the coopers employed in the Swift packing house have struck because of the refusal to discharge two non-union men, who were employed during the recent strike of the butchers.

To dress well and" becomingly may indeed be ranked among the fine arts."

IT'S THE CLOTHES

That we wear by which we are judged socially, financially, or intellectually. A man's appearance depends almost altogether on the way he is dressed.

Our suit department is filled to an overflowing with new Fall Clothing; every line is now complete, whether it be $6 or $25. All the novelties of the season are here. Come and let us fit you out for fall and you will realize as never before that it is the clothes

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Foreign and Domestic Cheviots in black, blue and patterns. These in single and double breasted Sacks and long regent Cutaways.

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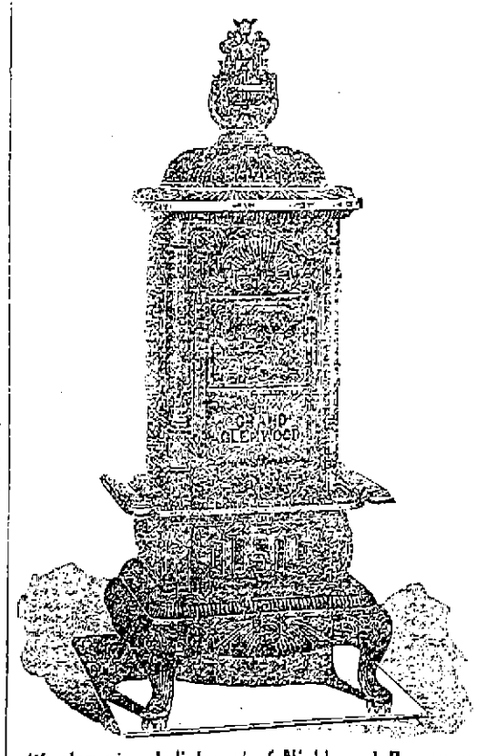

New goods for fall trade now in; new Carpets, new Chamber, Parlor and Dining-room Furniture. A fine stock to select from and the prices lower than ever before.

We wish to call your attention to our line of Glenwood Ranges and Parlor Stoves for which we are the agents in Lowell. The Glenwood goods are the acknowledged superior of all other makes of stoves. See our Grand Glenwood heater before you purchase. The beautiful designs, fineness of finish and simple construction, together with elegant embelishment of Nickle and Bronze, makes it the most beautiful as well as the most useful heater ever offered to the public.

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FORTY YEARS MARRIED.

Anniversary Observed Quietly, But Pleasantly, By Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wood of Fremont Street, Last Evening.

The 40th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Thomas Wood was observed by them yesterday, at their residence, 54 Fremont street.

A number of their friends called and extended their congratulations. When all the guests had arrived, the hymn "Blest be the tie that binds," was sung. Then prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Court, after which Rev. Mr. Yarrow made brief remarks and closed by performing the marriage ceremony over again. By a happy coincidence the "best man" and "bridesmaid" were the same ones who officiated at the wedding, forty years ago, Mr. and Mrs. John Noble, whose marriage was a year following.

After the ceremony Mrs. James Dawson read a poem of congratulation and presented a handsome marble clock and other presents on behalf of friends. After this addresses were made and refreshments served.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mulro, Mr. and Mrs. James Sutcliffe, Mr. and Mrs. John Mountford, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fielding, Mr. and Mrs. John Bramhall, Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, Rev. and Mrs. Yarrow, Mr. and Mrs. James Wood, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoyle, Fred Pickles, Mr. and Mrs. John Noble of Lawrence, Mrs. John Mahon, Mrs. Joseph Thorne, Mrs. Hannah Kenyon, Mrs. George Ingham, Mrs. Medley, Miss Addie Brown, Mrs. C. F. Hemenway, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Lavelle, Mr. and Miss Sheppard, Mrs. O. A. Simpson, Mrs. Clogston, Mrs. Ashworth, Mrs. Kershaw, Mrs. Bowker, Mrs. George Sanderson, Miss Sarah Sanderson, Mrs. Brown.

Among those who sent gifts were Mrs. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Noble of Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Lavelle, Mrs. Hemenway, Mrs. Hoyle, Miss Sarah Cahill, Ela and Locke, and Mrs. John Mahon. Mr. T. H. Husband acted as usher during the evening and Miss Sarah Sanderson looked after the comfort of the ladies.

Mr. Wood was born in Derbyshire, Eng. in 1829. In 1854 he married Miss Ruth Heafey, in Glossop church, in his native county. In 1857 they came to this country and in 1858 Mr. Wood entered the employ of the J. C. Ayer company, where he has remained ever since and has filled a responsible position with satisfaction to all with whom he is connected.

MANTELL'S BIG NIGHT.

Opera House was Packed by Lowell People to Witness Monbars—Storm Did Not Materially Interfere With Audience.

While the storm came in inopportune time last night, it did not prevent a crowded house to see Monbars, although the audience was not all in until 8.30. Robert Mantell sustained his previous reputation and gave a finished, artistic performance as usual, being grandly supported by substantially the same company which has been with Mr. Mantell for two years.

Gentle Ellie Elsler, the sweetest actress in sentimental dramas on the American stage will no doubt be enthusiastically greeted tonight when she plays Doris in a drama of that title. Last season she received most flattering notices of her play and everywhere her part was praised. Tomorrow evening she plays Hazel Kirke, her original creation in the drama of that name.

Saturday's attraction, afternoon and evening, will be Louis Aldrich in "My Partner."

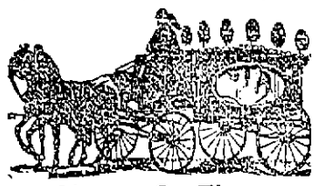
At Music hall the new bill for the week "Little Tatters," was successfully introduced with a number of new features, which makes the performance bright, fresh and catchy. The audience was enthusiastic and undoubtedly the week will be a prosperous one.

Pretty girls and clever specialties described the merry performance at the Bijou theatre by the burlesque company. The curtain raiser "Mamie's Surprise Party," made a hit, while the burlesque, "The Gypsies" created a roar of laughter. The Living Pictures are good.

If only to see Mrs. Gilbert use her beautiful fan, and to hear Miss Corea sing, no one should miss seeing Mikado at Lakeview this week, the last attraction at the summer theatre. This is the best performance of the season, and the singing is superb. Miss Corea and Mrs. Gilbert are Yum Yum and Pitti Sing, respectively, while the entire cast, including Mr. Martin and Mr. Iamoni of New York, is very satisfactory. Prof. Wolcott's balloon ascension after the matinee and his parachute jump should not be overlooked.

James F. O'Donnell,

PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER,



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POLITICAL ARENA

Senator Brady is Nailing Up His Fences.

C. I. HOOD'S RUMORED CANDIDACY A MYTH.

The Guerilla Warfare Going On in Ward Two.

Senator Brady was consulted a few days ago by a number of men who wanted to organize a "Brady campaign club" consisting of good workers from every ward in the city. The genial senator thanked them for the interest shown in his canvass but asked them to defer the work of organizing until as many democrats as possible be replaced on the voting list. He requested the gentlemen to interest themselves in the work as the best way to help him and other candidates on the democratic ticket. They are now looking up the democrats whose names have been dropped from the list by the assessors with a view to have them all restored.

This does not prove that Senator Brady is neglecting to look after the condition of his fences. He looks them over daily and whenever he finds a weak spot he forthwith drives a few political nails that will hold until election day at least. His record in the legislature will show that on every labor question his vote was on the right side. His efforts for the passage of the Weavers' Particulars bill were acknowledged to be very effective while no man worked more successfully than he for the Normal school. He is willing to have his record scrutinized as it will be to his advantage when the proper time comes. As yet the republicans have not intimated who his opponent will be. But it is likely that they will nominate either Foss or A. G. Walsh ex-councilman of Ward Four. Meantime Brady is cutting political ice by securing the third ward for the men who are eligible for registration.

The other men who are hard at work on this matter of registration are John Conlon and John F. Tully, both of Ward Four, while James A. Sullivan of the democratic headquarters is continuously employed in advancing the interests of the party organization. There is now a prospect that the city will be quite as strongly democratic this year as ever before.

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The representative fight in Ward Two is the hottest in republican circles for years. It is a three-cornered fight between Putnam, the young men's candidate, A. H. Cluer, the supposedly A. P. A. candidate, and Major Rowell, who just at present is hustling from house to house, and nearly every house has been visited by friends of the candidates, and Putnam undoubtedly has the pole in the race. He generously stepped aside when Teddy Weir wanted to run and later when James Stuart Murphy wanted promotion.

He was in no hurry, but this year came forward to take the nomination. He has been square in all his dealings the republicans say, and deserves the honor. The knowing ones are down on Cluer because of that Hildreth incident, when, it was said, he got Mr. Hildreth, a saddler at the city stables, discharged, in order to get his brother from the back districts a job. Besides, Cluer, they say, has not done anything to help the party since he got out of the council, and the city committee is "agin' him" on this account.

Major Rowell's candidacy, it is said, has considerable back of it, in the way of legislation in favor of the corporations next year. Knowing ones say that Major Rowell is not going to the legislature to represent Ward Two, but to tie a string that the corporations may pull around certain things.

So hot is the fight that the A. P. A. held a caucus last Thursday and made arrangements to submit a proposition to the republican city committee. It is that it shall be endorsed to the extent of representation by three members of this year's ward committee and two councilmen. The same proposition will be made from each ward to the city committee. An A. P. A. zealot predicted that if the proposition was refused, there would be the biggest political smash in years throughout the city.

The democrats may well hope that the republicans will continue to make the fur fly.

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There seems to be an impression among democrats that the Fifth congressional district can be carried only by a man who will draw largely from the republican ranks. This is a mistake. The district is solidly democratic and the man who can poll the full democratic strength can be elected. This is evidenced by Mr. Stevens' plurality of 1800 and by the vote received by Mr. Hyde, candidate for councillor against Luman T. Jefts in that portion of the councillor district which is included in the Fifth congressional district. The party should, therefore, go in for victory, put up a good fighting democrat, support him by every legitimate means and victory will be achieved.

This idea of a few men constituting themselves a delegation to ask any man whose democracy is in question, to become a candidate is all wrong.

The democrats need not go begging for a candidate. They have plenty of eligible men whose democracy is unquestioned, and it is not difficult to select one from the number who can go in and win.

It may be urged that when Mr. Greenhalge was a candidate in this district the result seemed to indicate a republican majority. That was due to Mr. Greenhalge's popularity in Lowell, although Lowell had then a democratic majority. Mr. Greenhalge carried the city by nearly 500 votes. If a popular democrat be nominated he will draw republican votes in this city and will poll a sweeping majority in Lawrence.

The democrats of Lawrence are willing to support a man from the Lowell end of the district, because they have had the choice of a candidate for the past few years.

The rumor that Lowell democrats solicited C. I. Hood to be a candidate is without foundation. Mr. Hood is a popular citizen, but unless he renounces republican principles and makes a full declaration of his faith in the principles of the democratic party, democrats would not vote for him. It should be understood that no coterie of individuals, no newspaper and no politician has the giving of the congressional nomination for the Fifth district. The democratic congressional convention alone has the nominating power and all that can be done outside of that body, is to suggest or recommend candidates for nomination. Many good men have been suggested but as yet it is difficult to say on whom democratic sentiment will centre for the honor of being nominated for the office. It may be that a new man will be discovered more acceptable to the rank and file of the democrats than any yet named. It seems that none of the men so far are anxious to enter the contest. Hon. George W. Fifield is deterred by his business from responding to the call, J. L. Chalifoux is unwilling to become a candidate. William F. Courtney, Esq., keeps a neutral attitude although he would make an ideal candidate and an able congressman.

Col. Parker, Hon. Jeremiah Crowley, Hon. E. M. Tucke and John C. Burke, Esq., are all either silent in regard to the selection of a candidate or in favor of somebody else than themselves. None of them manifest any desire to enter the field as a candidate. As to ex-Senator Bradley and Guy Currier of Lawrence it does not appear that there is any spontaneous demand for either so that as yet it seems that nobody can predict with any degree of certainty who will be the favorite candidate in the convention.

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It will be of interest to local republicans to learn that Curtis Guild, Jr., has already taken to the stump to sound the keynote of the campaign. It looks as if the "slimlets" will run the mill this fall.

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Congressman Randall of Fall River, went to the governor, yesterday, to complain that Simpkins, his opponent, is favored by the Fall River police commission. He wants fair play, and Gov. Greenhalge said he would not let the commission interfere.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Thomas Grant took place yesterday afternoon from his late home on Willie street. The funeral cortege was an unusually large one, and among those who followed the remains to the grave were the employes of the Fifield Machine Co., where the deceased had worked for fifteen years, and which was closed during the afternoon out of respect to the memory of the deceased. The bearers were Messrs. James Shea, Patrick Barry, James Young, Chas. White, Timothy Cousin and John Robbins. The ushers were Messrs. Joseph Gormley, Edward F. Gormley, Thomas H. Muldoon and Peter Sheehan. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where services were conducted by Rev. Fr. Burke. Deceased was highly esteemed as a mechanic and citizen.

The funeral of Rose Donohoe occurred this morning from her late home on Pleasant street, and was very largely attended. The body was received to the Immaculate Conception church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I. The choir of the church under the direction of Prof. Haggerty rendered Schmidt's requiem mass. The solo in the "De Profundis" was sung by Prof. Haggerty. The only floral offering was a sheaf of wheat. The bearers were Messrs. John McNeese, Thomas F. Garvey, A. E. Rountree, John Broadhurst, John Sullivan, and ex-Councilman Dolan. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I.

PERSONAL.

C. N. Woodward has gone to Dover, N. H.

Misses Abbie Watson and Annie Leach are in New York.

Rep. W. H. J. Hayes is in attendance at the G. A. R. encampment.

Mrs. Charles W. Swan has returned from Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Miss Lizzie Wright has gone to Cowansville, P. Q., her former home.

Charles McFarland and a party of friend are camping out at Lake Magog.

Mr. William Dailey of Boston has entered the employ of the Washington house proprietors.

Miss Bertha Spicer of South Loring street has returned from a visit to Manchester, N. H.

Miss Etta McDermott has been presented by her aunt with an elegant gold watch, as a birthday present.

Mr. P. A. Corcoran, the popular dry goods salesman, is with Cook, Taylor & Co., Merrimack street.

Mrs. Underwood of the Rogers hall school, arrived home yesterday, after a delightful trip through Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hastings leave next week for a sojourn at West New Portland and other resorts in Maine.

Mrs. Marshall and daughter, Ethel, of Marginal street, have returned from their vacation at West Windham, N. H.

The engagement of Miss Maud Hadley of the high school corps of teachers, and Mr. E. D. Steele was announced yesterday.

The engagement has been announced of Mr. Robert Wallis of New York and Miss Pauline Bergman of Boston, formerly of this city.

Commander J. G. Eaton, U. S. N., with his wife, is spending a few days at Mrs. Eaton's old home, the residence of W. P. Varnum, Esq.

M. Allen Johnson will return to Amherst college for a post-graduate course in history, political economy and psychology, while his brother, Dr. Herbert S. Johnson, returns as a master in the Lawrenceville academy.

John Drain, the well known dry goods dealer of Gorham street, has returned from Salisbury beach. This was the first vacation he had for years and he speaks glowingly of the fun he had and the sights he saw. He brought home relics of a ship wreck at the beach.

Mr. Guy H. Chase of Buffalo, N. Y., is on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Chase. He was on the train which met with a rear-end collision at Hoosac tunnel, Sunday, and was obliged to crawl out of a hole in the debris, unhurt, but not enjoying an undesired experience.

DEATHS.

Frederick, infant child of George H., and Louisa Hanley, died yesterday at their home, 62 Newhall street.

Charles, infant son of Thomas and Bridget Dailey, died yesterday at their home, 50 Chestnut street.

Lillian McGuirk, child of James and Margaret McGuirk, died last evening at their home, 79 Front street.

Ellen Scanlan, aged 71 years, died yesterday at her home, 4 Fox's yard, off Davidson street.

Mamie, infant daughter of John and Nellie Maguire, died last evening at their home, 40 John street.

James Green, infant son of William Green, died last evening at his home, 10 Pawtucket street.

Mary E. Niles, a native of Stillwater, N. Y., and widow of the late Norman Niles, died Sunday at her home in Dracut.

Orrin Hutchinson, a resident of Lowell for many years, died yesterday of consumption, at his home, 317 Chelmsford street, aged 73 years. He leaves one son C. C. Hutchinson of Utah, and one daughter, Mrs. T. Wright of this city.

George A. Roberts, wife of Warren Roberts, died yesterday at her late residence, 25 Read street, aged 42 years and 6 months after a long illness. Deceased was a member of the Paige street Free Baptist church and the order of the United Friends.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts

LATEST

5 O'CLOCK.

NOBLE VETERANS

40,000 Defenders of the Union Were in Line.

PROBABLY THE LAST PARADE OF THE G. A. R.

Great Feature of the Pittsburg Encampment.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 11.—Forty thousand men who fought and bled for the Union marched through the streets of this city and Monongahela today. They carried no rifles, but helped their footsteps with canes. The parade started at 10 o'clock from the historic Monongahela house, Co. A of the second battalion of Naval Reserves heading the column as an escort of honor to Commander-in-chief J. G. Adams. The Massachusetts division was sixth in line.

The buildings throughout the city were lavishly decorated.

The day has been a notable one, for this is perhaps the last reunion when a parade will be held, as it has been decided to abandon this feature owing to the growing infirmity of the veterans.

Gov. Pattison and staff reviewed the parading column. It was a grand parade and was successful from beginning to end.

At a meeting of the association of Army and Navy Chaplains, Rev. T. H. Haggerty of the 93d Indiana regiment was chosen president and C. C. McCabe of the 122nd Ohio regiment, secretary.

FOREST FIRES BREAK OUT.

WISCONSIN FORESTS ARE NOW THREATENED BY FLAME.

Citizens Are Preparing to Move Out of the Timber Lands—Ashland May Become a Heap of Ashes.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 11.—Strong winds have fanned the forest fires in this vicinity, and they are burning fiercely in nearly every direction.

The flames are quite close to Mt. Hope cemetery, and also the Catholic cemetery, with the strong wind constantly bringing them nearer. Washburn has been enveloped in a cloud of smoke all day.

The following dispatch was received from Saxon last night:

"Forest fires are raging about here. Water is being hauled by running teams. Citizens are moving out of thier homes with all possible speed."

HE'S A DIME NOVEL HERO.

LITTLE BOYS MAKE COL. BRECKINRIDGE THEIR HERO.

Sing "Billy, Billy Breckinridge, Chaw, Chaw, Chaw," Because He is Dishing Out Lurid Roasts and Making Capital Out of Political Speeches.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 11.—Excitement has reached fever heat in this, the seat of congressional warefare.

Congressman Breckinridge is like a stag at bay. He has met and had a personal encounter with Judge Milton J. Durham, controller of the U. S. treasury under Cleveland's first administration, and so sharp was his tongue in the row and so furious his deportment that he has blossomed into the small boys' idol, and nightly the streets are paraded by street urchins, who sing in chorus, "Billy, Billy Breckinridge, chaw, chaw, chaw." In fact, the colonel is a regular dime novel hero.

FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

The Parkhill mills at Fitchburg are still silent.

Mrs. Ellen A. Gougar opened her suit for libel against Congressman Elijah A. Morse in the U. S. circuit court in Boston today.

THE HIGHWAY PLANS.

Considered at a Hearing Before the State Commission This Afternoon.

The highway commission gave a hearing at the Probate court room this afternoon, on the petition for and extension of the boulevard.

The court room was crowded, many of Lowell's most prominent citizens being among the signers of the petition. Several prominent men from out of town were in attendance. The first speakers were County Commissioner Reed and City Solicitor Hogan. After them Larkin T. Trull, Esq., one of the petitioners, spoke at some length on the advantages of the proposed extension. As he understood it the mission of the commission is to show the state how to construct good roads, and in his opinion no road could be picked out that would be more seen, more used, and more achieved than that proposed, along the banks of the Merrimack.

Mr. Trull then called on Col. Charles H. Allen.

This Afternoon's Blaze.

The alarm from box 29 at 1.45 this afternoon was for a blaze on the roof of Crevier's blacksmith shop on Willie street. The damage was slight.

Not An Illegal Arrest.

Regarding the report that Officer Lennon might be a defendant in a case growing out of a liquor case, Capt. Moffatt says that the arrest of a witness is not looked upon as an illegal arrest, and did not believe there were grounds for the charge as alleged.

Miss Nellie Hamnfin of Chicopee Falls, has been visiting her friend, Mrs. Cassidy of Coburn street.

QUIET FOLLOWS THE RUSH.

POLICE COURT WORE DESERTED LOOK THIS MORNING.

Number of Drunks was Small and Business was Quickly Disposed of—A Little Family Affair in Billerica.

Ten drunks after the army of yesterday.

Two who were new were released.

Albert Powlinski, or something like that is a Pole who came here from Springfield, and was arrested last night by Officer Dennett for drunkenness. When asked what he pleaded, Powlinski shrugged his shoulders and started off an unintelligible jargon. The court officers were losing patience with him when Reporter Sternberg came to the rescue and spouted off something in German which Powlinski understood. Then the two of them went at it and talked back and forth like a couple of Dutch school masters. It was Stern's first offence at interpreting, and barring a blush, he did very well. Powlinski said that he was not drunk but weak, having been without food for some time. He has a seven years old child in town somewhere. The court ordered Powlinski to be taken down stairs, given three square meals, and returned for sentence in the morning.

Kate Ireson, who is said to be a descendant of the famous skipper who rode through Marblehead, some little time ago, said that she turned around and got dizzy and was arrested. She was fined $2.

The case of Joseph Ryan, charged with assault, was continued until Saturday.

James McKinley, drunk, was sent to the workhouse for four months.

Mary J. Stack was sent to jail for six months.

Three young fellows pulled in as suspicious persons were dismissed.

Edward M. Leighton of Billerica, who is the happy possessor of a couple of handfuls of luxurious red whiskers, pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault on his wife, Martha. She said that he came home and not finding the dinner ready struck her and abused her. Leighton conducted his own case and on cross-examination asked his wife if she had ever been arrested, and she, getting quite red, admitted that she had been in jail at Concord, N. H., for throwing a coffee pot full of boiling coffee in a man's face. She did a year in jail for this, it is said. Leighton was fined the costs of the case and put under $100 bonds to keep the peace.

The hen poisoning case from Gilmanville was dismissed late yesterday afternoon.

Joseph Alcon was in court for alleged cruelty to a horse using turpentine on the animal to make it go.

THE FAIR OPENS.

Big Receipts of Farm Produce and Other Exhibits at the Fair Grounds Today.

Today the exhibits in farm produce are being received at the fair grounds for the Middlesex North agricultural fair. Tomorrow the livestock will be received and the fair formally opened. There seems to be less interest than usual in the fair, and excepting horse-trotting the last three days of the week the programme has no special features. Mr. Asa Clements will be missed to lead the procession of farmers' daughters—the pride of Middlesex county—at the harvest dinner, Thursday.

The South Middlesex fair at So. Framingham puts against the fair in this city, and Gov. Greenhalge will visit there Thursday, but not in Lowell.

SPEAK-EASY BUSINESS.

Reputable Druggists Indignant that Liquor Selling on Sunday in the Suburbs is not Stopped.

Reputable druggists down town are complaining that speak easies flourish in some of the pharmacies. One of the druggists said that he had heard that one so called druggist sold 60 cases of lager a week ago Sunday, and five men were needed to do the business, their meals being brought in to them.

Last Sunday, the same place was packed with customers at several times during the day, and the proprietor's dinner was seen going into the pharmacy on a tray.

Trouble at the Barracks.

THE SUN yesterday mentioned a communication from a subscriber in which the latter claimed that a boy was roughly used by the Salvation Army people at their barracks Saturday night, and the Mail this morning had a story of a robbery committed there on Saturday night, when six toughs, it alleges set upon the sergeant who was selling the War Cry and robbed him of 75 cents. If both rows occurred the barracks must have been a lively place that night, and certainly was very inviting to the new captain and his wife.

The Commissioner's First Report.

The license commission has sent in its first official report to Mayor Pickman. It contains nothing of importance for the commissioners have had no chance of doing much of anything up to the present time. They alluded to their visit to Worcester, and gave a list of the transfers made.

The license commissioners of Worcester accompanied by the mayor of that city come here today.

Will Use the Lincoln School.

The class which occupied the overflow room in the vestry of the Chelmsford street Free Baptist church has been removed to the new Lincoln school by Supt. Whitcomb.

No flagstaff has been placed on the new school yet.

The school is finished throughout with adjustable seats and desks.

LOCAL NOTES.

Miss Etta Hill has returned from Falmouth Heights.

The committee on school houses and hygiene inspected the Lincoln school yesterday.

The Bothnia with a number of Lowell passengers arrived safely at Queenstown at 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

If your grain bin is like your coal bin, low, and you want to replenish it give John Cosgrove of 378 Merrimack street, an order for grain or hay. The best goods, weight guaranteed, at the lowest market prices.

War in China.

Doesn't change the price on our Teas. Notice the samples in one of our show windows. Our Eagle chop Formosa at 50c., no presents, beats the world. The U. S. Tea Co. Lowell.

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THE SUN EXTRA

6 O'CLOCK

FOUR MEN LOST

Steamer Portia Cut Down Schooner Dora French.

COLLISION OCCURRED OFF CUTTYHUNK SHOALS.

Accident Reported at New York by the Skipper.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CITY ISLAND, N. Y., Sept. 11.—The steamer Portia, from St. John and Halifax, which collided with and sunk the schooner Dora M. French yesterday three miles from Cuttyhunk light, Vineyard Haven sound, has arrived here.

Capt. Ash reports that Capt. French and three of the crew of the French were drowned. The boat on the Portia was lowered and the mate, Jeremiah Murphy, was saved.

The Portia was running at full speed, blowing her whistles at short intervals, and struck the French forward of the foremast and cut her in two.

The steamer had her foretopmast broken and about 40 feet of her rail carried away. A hole was stove in on starboard side, a little below the water line, and filled one of her water compartments.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Blodgett, J.

At the Superior court, this morning, the plaintiff's case in the action of Toy vs. U. S. Cartridge Co., was put in, and in the afternoon the defence was put on. The arguments will probably be made tomorrow.

Late Local Notes.

The site for the normal school to be located in Lowell will come before the state board of education for consideration Thursday.

Charles Lallamme, son of Inspector Lallamme, is in imminent danger of losing the sight of an eye as the result of an accident a couple of months ago.

The stone work for the East Merrimack street bridge was in condition for the reception of the iron work nine days ago. But there is not a pound of the iron in sight yet. Word has been received that it is on the way from the foundry.

James Barr a prisoner at the poor farm escaped yesterday. He was a farm hand and worked outside the big fence.

Entertained Worcester Officials.

Mayor Pickman and the members of the license commission entertained Mayor Marsh, General Pickett, Messrs. Jefferson and Plunkett of the license commission, and the chief of police of that city, this afternoon. The visitors arrived at noon and were taken to the city hall in carriages, given flowers for bottonhole bouquets, shown about the city hall and Memorial buildings and taken to dinner.

May Get An Injunction.

It is said that an injunction will soon be asked against the city of Lowell to prevent the sale of property in the city for the non-payment of street watering assessments. It will be claimed that the city has no power, by charter or otherwise, to order a sale of land for such purpose. The man in whose behalf the test case will be made pays taxes on a considerable amount of property.

NEW BEDFORD STRIKE.

Editorial Opinion on the Situation and Probable Outcome.

Another mill opened at New Bedford, all the help returning at the old rate of wages, says the Post.

This will undoubtedly be the rule in all cases of resumption of work in the two cotton manufacturing cities. It would be folly on the part of the combined mill owners to expect that the reduction posted in New Bedford two weeks ago can ever be made to take effect, or the rates against which the Fall River operatives struck four weeks ago can ever be accepted.

The result, moreover, will not be brought about by compulsion. It will follow naturally. In the first place, the old wages were as low as it was possible to make. They were too low by a considerable figure for American workmen to accept as a permanency, and too low for American manufacturers, earning large profits, to pay.

And, in the next place, everything is working to bring about conditions in which wages in this industry will naturally be higher. Print cloth is now selling at an advance upon the price at which the manufacturers can maintain their large profits, and the alternative already is brought before them of seeing business go elsewhere of opening their mills.

This is the situation today. The sooner the mills are opened, without reduction in wages, the better will it be for the manufacturers as well as for the operatives.

Will Marry Soon.

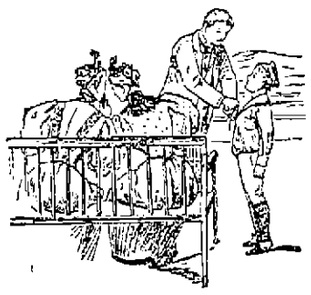
The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today:

Joseph H. Cyr, Westford, 28, to Sophia E. Brussand 23.

William J. Laverriere 23, to Matilda Parriere 20.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Durfee occurred this afternoon from the residence of Mr. Walter McDaniels in Tewksbury. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Chambre and the remains were forwarded to Geneva, N. Y., for interment.

Mr. Joseph F. McCaffrey left yesterday, to resume his studies at Holy Cross college Worcester.



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Several lots of all wool winter suits from last year, that were five and six dollars, are offered now for $3 to close. Excellent value for school wear.

PUTNAM & SON,

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Central Street, Cor. Warren.

A BABY'S BODY WAS FOUND.

IT WAS PLACED IN A SHOE BOX AND THROWN INTO CANAL.

Inquest to Be Held to Determine If This Was a Case of Infanticide.

The body of a male infant, about 6 or 8 months old was found in the canal near Thompson's field, shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. An employe of the Locks & Canals Co., while engaged in some work about there, found a shoe box in the canal and upon examination learned that it contained the body of a male infant. Officer Buchanan was notified and he sent word to the police station and to Undertaker Brooks' who took charge of the body.

It is believed that the body was placed in the shoe box and thrown into the canal by the mother who wished to rid herself of her offspring and took this means of concealing her intention and identity.

DWIGHT L. MOODY.

To Be Invited to Conduct Evangelistic Services in This City During the Coming Winter.

The pastors and delegates of the evangelical churches of this city met in convention in Y. M. C. A. hall last evening to devise some means of introducing general revival work in this city during the winter. Rev. Dr. Seymour was chosen chairman and Rev. J. O. Campbell, secretary.

The roll-call showed about 75 delegates present, about 24 out of the 28 churches responding to the call.

Rev. C. L. Merriam offered prayer and then all joined in singing, "There shall be showers of blessings."

Dr. Seymour said that he had written Mr. Moody and asked him to come here and conduct revival services.

Mr. Moody replied it would be impossible. Then he called upon Mr. Moody and after considerable inquiry the latter consented to come providing it was the desire of all that he should do so.

Rev. E. T. Curnick then moved that it be the sense of the convention that revival services be held during the winter.

A. K. Whitcomb wanted to know when the meetings would be held and was informed that November was thought to be the proper time.

Rev. Mr. LeClair said his people wanted the service held right away.

Huntington hall was suggested as a suitable place for the meetings, but when Mr. Whitcomb said the Opera house has a larger seating capacity, the chairman remarked that "he would like nothing better than to take it and use it for the Lord."

The motion to hold revival services was then unanimously carried.

Rev. C. W. Huntington then moved to extend an invitation to Mr. Moody to visit Lowell and conduct the revival services to be held about two months hence under the auspices of the evangelical churches of the city, and the vote on this was also unanimous.

After prayer the convention adjourned.

Lowell Day Nursery—August Report.

During August 421 children were cared for in the Kirk street and Centralville nurseries, the largest attendance in one day being 33. Donations are acknowledged from the following: Mrs. J. V. Keyes, Mrs. C. I. W. Maynard, Mrs. Amos Green, Mrs. G. C. Brock, E. G. Burke, Westford Flower mission, Unitarian church, Mrs. E. G. Cushing, Mrs. H. R. Barker, Mrs. E. M. Tucke, F. and E. Bailey & Co., a friend, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Charles Barker, Mrs. Wm. Fiske, and the Lowell & Suburban street railway, who kindly gave free tickets for the children.

E. K. BALDWIN, Clerk.

No. Billerica Concert.

The evenings are growing cooler and the band concerts at North Billerica will soon be ended but Thursday evening there will be another fine one and below is the program.

March, "Capt. Allen,".....Missud
Medley, "The last of the Hogans,".....Braham
Waltz, "The Fairy Spell,".....Smith
Clarinet solo, "Air and Variations,".....Dancla
(Mr. J. Fairbrother.)
Selection, "Lily of Killarney,".....Heinicke
Waltz song, "The Fatal Wedding,".....Davis
Fantasie on "Auld Lang Syne,".....Daily
Hungarian Dance, "Magyar,".....Ripley
March, "Lieut. Peary's,".....Rimmelli
G. H. HALSTEAD, Leader.

Gov. Greenhalge's Program.

It is announced from republican state headquarters that after Oct. 6th Gov. Greenhalge will be under the direction of the state committee for campaigning purposes.

Rev. Fr. Burns, O. M. I., at Home.

Rev. Fr. Burns, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church arrived home from his European trip yesterday. His health is greatly improved.

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§6 28	7 15	5 25	6 21
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Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Arr.
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9 16	10 10
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§6 03	7 00
7 30	§8 10
8 00	§8 50
9 00	10 02

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Arr.
7 30	8 40
§8 30	9 20
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4 15	5 20
5 55	6 50
8 50	9 50

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Central street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway Street.

§. Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

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ON MAYOR GILROY'S return from Europe, the Tammany chiefs will decide upon a candidate to head the municipal ticket.

THE FITCHBURG MAIL felicitates itself on an increasing subscription list despite the dull times. It may reasonably be expected to prosper in good times.

THE SUDDEN advance in the price of print cloths should give an impetus to the textile business. With higher prices the mills should be able to pay higher wages.

SOMETHING should be done to relieve the cemeterial aspect of the city hall grounds. It is not intended as a burial ground for officially decapitated politicians.

THAT BRAINTREE officer who shot a railway official by mistaking him for a thief, should get a leather medal. Some policemen are courageous when no danger is nigh.

MRS. CUSHING, who testified against Sergt. Sheehan of Boston, has been raided. It is plain that if she paid for police protection there is a breach of agreement on the part of the police.

A NEW style of coffin has been invented with inside spring arrangement by which the corpse can open the door and step out if he or she sees fit. There is no telling where the ingenuity of man will stay its inventive progress.

JERRY SULLIVAN of Lawrence is much interested in the congressional contest in the fifth district, although he has not discovered any new candidate. He says he wants to see the right man nominated, whosoever that may be.

AS A result of the first pay day after the reopening of the mills, the number of drunks Saturday night was beyond the usual number. For hundreds of men it was the first occasion for many moons when they had the money to pay for a drink.

GOV. MCKINLEY must oppose T. B. Reed at a disadvantage in Maine. They are both presidential candidates, and the pharisaical McKinley comes to Maine ostensibly to aid in rolling up a big republican victory, but in reality to take prestige that might redound to Reed alone.

DR. S. L. WARD suggests the formation of a taxpayers' league for the purpose of reducing the tax rate. The suggestion is a good one, as a body of taxpayers could occasionally give their views upon proposed expenditures, and in many cases defeat schemes projected by speculators for the benefit of private concerns. By all means let us have a taxpayers' league.

THERE is some hard work before the democratic city committee this year in swelling the list of voters in lieu of those dropped. About 1200 names were dropped and it will require hard and persistent work to get as many registered. Mr. Sullivan at the democratic headquarters together with some of the most effective workers are engaged upon the work and are having much success. There is a prospect that there will be a good round majority of democrats on the list when registration closes.

THE UNEMPLOYED IN MASSACHUSETTS.

Horace G. Wadlin in the 24th annual report of labor statistics throws some light on the question of the unemployed in Massachusetts.

It appears from the tables showing the average number of days in which the various industries were operated in 1892 and 1893, that in three only was the average larger last year than in 1892. Carpet industries showed the greatest decrease, having fallen off from 303 to 247 days.

The table includes 4397 different kinds of industry. In commenting upon the number of unemployed, Mr. Hamlin shows that if but one man were dropped from each of these industries the number would be 4397, if ten were dropped from each it would be 43,970 and so on. If the industries of the country were considered it would not be difficult thus to account for the entire army of unemployed numbering millions.

It is quite probable that Mr. Hamlin's report for the present year will shed more light on the causes of unemployment than will the report of the state commission appointed to investigate the causes.

THE CONDITION of our streets is not what it should be. Many of the streets are muddy and full of holes so that pedestrians are in danger of accident. The street committee alone is responsible because had Supt. Crowley been given sufficient funds he would have kept all the streets as they should be. The money has been expended on the boulevard and on First street rather than upon the streets which bear the greatest traffic from day to day. A street patrol should be provided for the purpose of driving along the streets and filling any hole or unevenness likely to inconvenience travellers. Two men with a load of broken stone or gravel continually searching for defects in the streets would remedy much of the evils complained of and keep the streets in a uniformly good condition.

CHINA is offering great inducement to men to enter the army. The sum of $160 a month and the guarantee of $5000 in case of death, is an enormous sum as money goes in China. Yet this is insufficient to induce Chinamen to run any great risk. If Japan keeps on killing the Celestials, the Chinese national debt will be large enough to impoverize the whole nation.

THE DEMOCRATS of the first New Hampshire district have nominated John E. Nash the "Fog Horn of Conway" for congress and Cy Sulloway the "Tall Pine of the Merrimack" has been nominated by the republicans. A joint debate between the two is called for. It is believed that from an eminence both men can be heard over their entire district.

HERE is good advice from the Haverhill Gazette: "Young men, keep clear of secret, proscriptive organizations. Some smart chap will get the list of names and sell it to the managers of both parties, then you will feel the blight of your political aspirations. If you doubt this statement, ask some old know-nothing of 1855-58."

THROUGH THE kinetograph the public can witness a diminutive representation of a six round fight between Corbett and Courtney as true to life as anything could be. Every movement is photographed and reproduced as continuously as is the tunes on the phonograph. It is a wonderful machine.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

As They Talk In Chicago.

It would puzzle a stranger to judge of the conversational abilities of Chicago men by the chat which usually follows a meeting of friends on the street. This is one chat taken verbatim:

"Hello, old man!"

"Hello yourself. How's tricks?"

"Oh, so, so; can't kick. How's things coming with you?"

"Right along. Haven't seen you for a month. How you taking it?"

"Easy. Anything new with you?"

"Not a thing. Same old song. Well, so long."

"So long. Take care of yourself."

One of the men was a bank president, the other a wholesale dry goods merchant.

A board of trade leader met a prominent insurance manager. Both are well read men, of wide information and are accounted good after dinner spinkers. It was:

"Hello, old man!"

"Hello, Billy. How's tricks?"

"Nothing extra; about the same. How's the world using you?"

"Can't kick in these times. How's your conduct?"

"Same as usual. Anything new up your way?"

"Not a thing. Same old song. Going my way?"

"No. So long."

"Well, so long. Look out for yourself."

A Dearborn street lawyer met a LaSalle street lawyer. They are high in legal circles, have a fine standing in court and are cultivated, refined gentlemen. It was:

"Hello, old man!"

"Why, hello. How are you?"

"First class. How's your corporosity?"

"Haven't a word to say. Business good?"

"Some coming in. Nothing to brag of. How's the world using you?"

"Can't complain. Don't see much of you. What's new with you?"

"Nothing. Same thing as usual. How's it coming with you?"

"So so. Getting a living. Well, so long, old man. I'll see you later."

"So long. Take care of yourself."

"Sure!"—Chicago Record.

The Refuge of the Destitute.

"They tell me Jones is a complete failure."

"That's what!"

"Tried farmin?"

"Yes."

"An politics?"

"Yes."

"An preachin?"

"Yes."

"An schoolteachin?"

"Yes."

"An failed in all?"

"Yes."

"Well, what's he doin now?"

"He's a-editin of a newspaper!"—Atlanta Constitution.

A Purpose In View.

"I wish you would tell Bloomfield a startling story," said Gaswell to Dukane.

"Why?"

"He has been eating onions, and I would like you to tell him something which would fairly take his breath away."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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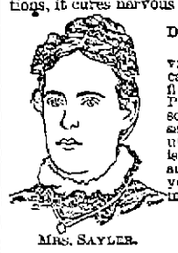

MRS. SAYLER.

DR. R. V. PIERCE:

Dear Sir—Your advice to Mrs. Sayler was carefully followed, and five bottles of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, I am happy to say, has cured her of uterine congestion. She is feeling finely. I assure you I appreciate your kindness. With many thanks, I am, Yours to command,

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SUNBEAMS.

Cautious.

His Wife—But, Henry, why do you wish to burn your love letters to me? Didn't you mean what you said in them?

Her Husband—Well, yes. But I've just made my will, and I don't want any lawyer to use them as proof of my insanity when I'm dead and gone.—New York Herald.

A Good Record.

A father of some marriageable daughters not far from here had occasion to have a sofa upholstered, and here is a list of what was found between the back and cushion: Forty-seven hairpins, 19 suspender buttons, 3 mustache combs, 18 needles, 35 cigarettes, 8 photographs, 217 pins, 76 grains of coffee, 46 cloves, 27 cuff buttons, 6 pocketknives, 15 poker chips, a vial of homeopathetic medicine, 34 lumps of chewing gum, 50 toothpicks, 28 matches, 33 collar buttons, 11 neckties, 2 love letters, a few pieces of candy, 2 dimes, 3 quarters, 1 nickel, 8 buckles, 5 lead pencils, 1 pen and 4 buttonhooks.—Mount Vernon Argus.

Anticipatory.

Clerk (of summer hotel pleasantly)—Do you know any one in the house, sir?

Castleton—My fiancee is here.

Clerk—Indeed. Which young lady might that be?

Castleton—I don't know. I haven't met her yet.—New York Sun.

Did Him a Distinct Favor.

Miss Maunders—He proposed, but I refused to marry him.

Miss Chastique—Oh, you noble, generous girl! You're always doing some kindness for other people.—Chicago Record.

A Dangerous Remedy.

Van Isle—So the doctors held a consultation about your case?

Doolittle—Yes, and I believe they decided by a two-thirds vote to amend my constitution.—New York World.

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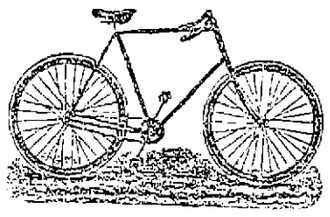

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The Commissioners desire to have it emphatically understood that all applications for licenses, transfers, or any matters relating to the liquor business must be submitted at these meetings and that no applications will be received elsewhere.

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A LIVELY FIGHT FOR CHOICE OF COMMANDER.

Four Prominent Candidates For Jack Adams' Place.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 11.—The ninth annual convention of naval veterans was held in the room of the Allegheny County Bar association yesterday afternoon. There were 200 delegates present. Rear Admiral Osborn presided. His annual report showed a very encouraging condition of affairs, notwithstanding the defalcation of the fleet's paymaster last year.

When the Indianapolis convention adjourned there was not a dollar in the treasury and the association was heavily in debt. During the past year all the old accounts has been settled, as well as all bills of the present administration. In closing, Rear Admiral Osborn stated that having served four terms he would like to be relieved of the duties of his office.

National Secretary Bostwick's report showed that charters had been issued to seven local associations during the year in the cities of Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Boston, Annapolis, Md.; Lowell, Mass., and Rockford, Ills.

Second Vice President Allen of the northern Ohio department proposed a resolution asking congress at its next session to so amend the laws regarding enlisted men in the navy that those competent may aspire to higher positions. The resolution was supported by the shipmates, and it was decided to memorialize congress. As the laws stand, enlisted men cannot rise above the rank of warrant officers.

After the reading of reports and presentation of a large number of resolutions, which were referred, Francis Ball of Hartford was elected commander.

The "tars" brought their day to a close by holding a "dog watch" in old city hall last night. The hall was magnificently decorated in nautical decorations and patriotic colors. A number of distinguished speakers were present.

The Parade.

Nearly 1000 ex-seamen, representing some 8000 members scattered over the country, participated in the annual parade. It was the largest turnout and the finest in point of appearance in the history of the organization.

Each member was expected to report in his best mustering uniform, with new, clean badge, ribbons and white gloves, and after the critical eye of Rear Admiral Osborn had swept over each division, from the head to the rear of the column, he declared with pride that his comrades could not have gotten themselves into better trim, even if they had been still in active service.

A Grand Reception.

The social event of the day was a reception by Mrs. George Westinghouse at her suburban residence, Solitude, given to the visiting ladies. Some of the guests who have attended similar affairs pronounce this the most gorgeous ever seen. The flower decorations were the finest ever seen in this city. Henry Watterson, ex-Governor Beaver and all of the prominent national officers of the Grand Army were present.

Many reunions were held during the day and evening by members of different regiments, and many were the reminiscences exchanged.

One of the features of the first day of the encampment was the performance of Fred Lanis' new composition of "War and Peace" at the exposition. This musical spectacle, dedicated to the encampment, was given by the Thirteenth Regiment band of New York, a grand chorus of 400 voices, a company from the Pennsylvania National Guard, Ransom Post, No. 800, of St. Louis, and a battery of artillery, all under the direction of the composer. There were about 20,000 people present.

Lively Politics.

Canvassing has been going on briskly in all directions in connection with the Grand Army. Of the four candidates for the office of commander-in-chief, each has a pretty strong backing among the delegates to encampment. John Long of Michigan has an enthusiastic following, but the friends of Colonel Lawler of Illinois claim to have almost all the northwestern states behind him, while the supporters of Colonel Walker of Indiana assert that they have promises enough to carry him through. The Texas aspirant, John D. Burger, also has plenty of friends who are confident of his ability to win.

Louisville and St. Paul are making a strong fight between them for the next encampment. The Louisville delegation, however, claim to have promises enough from the various departments to result in a majority of the national delegates voting in favor of that city. Kansas City is also pushing her claims for recognition.

Throughout the day and evening numerous reunions were held in different parts of the city.

The sidewalks are inadquate to accommodate the throngs along them in the streets. The street cars and vehicles are almost blockaded. Taken altogether, Pittsburg has never before enjoyed such a state of animation. Innumerable bands marched through the streets last night, serenading the newspapers and prominent people.

Ready For the Grave.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The coffin containing the remains of the Count of Paris was yesterday sealed in the presence of the members of the count's family. The scene was a most touching one. The coffin was today placed in the marble salon of Stowe house, and the public was again permitted to view the casket.

A New Organization.

DENVER, Sept. 11.—Two hundred delegates opened the national convention of the Traveling Engineers' association here today. The association is a new and secret organization, whose object is to improve the locomotive engineer service of American railways.

Revenge by Poisoning.

PIEDMONT, Ala., Sept. 11.—Two members of the family of Ed S. Downes have died from drinking water out of a poisoned well, while two more are not expected to recover. A discharged servant is suspected of the crime.

Corset Stays Saved Her.

RICHMOND, Ky., Sept. 11.—At the Mt. Pleasant Christian church William Sixsmith shot at the organist, Mrs. Jones. Her corset stays saved her life. Sixsmith escaped. No cause is known for the attempted murder.

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BIG DECLINE IN CORN CROPS.

MILLIONS OF ACRES CUT FOR FODDER.

The Wheat Crop Is Very Large—Statistics of Other Crops in the United States.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The report of the statistician of the department of agriculture for the month of September shows a decline in the condition of corn to 63.4 from 69.1 in the month of August, and 95 in the month of July. This is a decline of 5.7 points from the month of August and 31.6 from the July condition. The change is marked in nearly all of the great corn states.

The present condition is 75 in Kentucky, 70 in Ohio, 55 in Michigan, 80 in Indiana, 78 in Illinois, 61 in Wisconsin, 60 in Minnesota, 40 in Iowa, 50 in Missouri, 45 in Kansas, 15 in Nebraska and 16 in South Dakota. In most of the southern states the condition has risen and a good crop is certain.

In addition to the unfavorable prospects arising from the low condition of the growing crop, reports from eight states, viz: Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and South Dakota, in response to a special inquiry, show that out of an aggregate of 40,873,964 acres planted in these states there have been cut up for fodder or abandoned 15,506,000 acres, or 38 per cent, which is a little over 20 per cent of the entire area planted in the country.

The percentage of that cut up or abandoned by states reporting is as follows: Indiana, 8; Illinois, 10; Wisconsin, 21; Iowa, 25; Missouri, 16; Kansas, 51; Nebraska, 51; South Dakota, 51.

Wheat.

The condition of wheat, considering both winter and spring varieties when harvested, was 88.7, against 74 last year and 85.3 in 1892.

The reported conditions from the correspondents for the principal wheat-growing states are as follows: Ohio, 102; Michigan, 91; Indiana, 103; Illinois, 101; Wisconsin, 92; Minnesota, 94; Iowa, 92; Missouri, 91; Kansas, 58.1; Nebraska, 40; South Dakota, 32; North Dakota, 74; California, 88; Oregon, 88; Washington, 67; New York, 86; Pennsylvania, 91; Maryland, 98; Virginia, 78; Tennessee, 78; West Virginia, 93; Kentucky, 92; Texas, 92.

In the principal wheat states there has been considerable improvement in conditions in July report in parts of the wheat region. The crop is fully up to expectation, and in other parts the yield has exceeded expectation. The average condition of oats is reported at 77.8, against 75.5 Aug. 1, 77.7 on July 1 and 87 June 1.

Rye and Barley.

The returns for rye show an average condition of 86.9, against 82 a year ago.

The condition of barley has risen nearly 2 points during the month, the September average standing at 71.5, against 69.8 in August.

There is a decline in September conditions of buckwheat of 12½ points from that of August, the general average being 69.2, against 77.5 last year.

The area under clover seed is reported at 71.9 of that of 1893. The condition is given as 69.2, which is much below the average, thus indicating a very short crop.

The general average of condition for rice is 89.49.

The average condition of apples has fallen during last month from 41 to 40.8.

The condition of peaches is 21.1; potatoes, 63.4, a decline of 12 points since last month.

The condition of tobacco is 74.5, against 75.9 last month.

Was Probably Insane.

LANESBORO, Mass., Sept. 11.—The Mack barn was burned yesterday. Later, the dead body of George Hall, 70 years old, was hanging in a room in which he lived alone. In a temporary fit of insanity Hall probably set fire to the barn and then took his own life. Hall had been postmaster of Lanesboro and was well known hereabouts.

His Side Torn Open.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—William H. Clegg, in the employ of the Globe Nickel Plating company, was standing on a ladder adjusting a belt to a pulley. He lost his balance and fell, and in his descent struck on a lathe. His side was torn open and he was badly cut. It is thought that he will die from his injuries.

Left New Haven Behind.

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 11.—Horace L. Carter has skipped town, taking with him, it is alleged, an amount of money, estimated all the way from $32 to $250. Carter was grand marshal of the industrial procession Labor day, and the money was part of that with which it was intended to defray expenses.

A Blunder Corrected.

OTTAWA, Sept. 11.—The admiral on the Esquimalt station has recognized that the commander of H. M. S. Pheasant made a blunder when he took from a United States man-of-war the sealing schooner Wanderer in Behring sea a short time ago. The admiral has released the schooner.

Held In $5000 Bonds.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Sept. 11.—Tower Operator Hodgkins, charged with causing the wreck in the Hoosac Tunnel, has been placed under $5000 bonds for trial on a charge of manslaughter. Brakeman Frazer, who was injured in the wreck, died yesterday.

The Law Was Broken.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 11.—It is now known definitely that Judge Depue will charge the grand jury to find indictments against Corbett and Courtney, who fought a six-round contest at Edison's laboratory before the camera of the kinetoscope.

Let the Good Work Go On.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—There was a general resumption in the glass business in South Jersey yesterday. Millville, Clayton, Williamstown, Glassboro, Malaga, Bridgeton and Woodbury factories all went into full blast.

His Health Is Failing.

QUEBEC, Sept. 11.—Cardinal Taschereau has resigned the archbishopric of Quebec, owing to failing health. Mgr. Begin, his coadjutor, will assume the work.

Partially Destroyed by Fire.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 11.—The business portion of Sidney was burned. Loss, $50,000.

Haven't Amalgamated.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The Central Labor union last night effected permanent organization as a political party, but no definite action was taken toward merging their forces with the People's party, which was strongly urged.

Brush Fires Only.

DULUTH, Sept. 11.—There are now no serious fires on any lines near here except the Northern Pacific. The fires around Barnum were chiefly in the brush, and were not dangerous.

The Battle at Kilwa.

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—It is officially announced that the tribesmen who attacked the German port of Kilwa off the East African coast have been repulsed.

THEY ARE NOT WORRIED.

Mississippi State Officials Charged With Violating Counterfeit Laws.

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 11.—Warrants were yesterday sworn out for the arrest of the following state officers of Mississippi: J. M. Stone, governor; W. W. Stone, auditor, and J. J. Evans, state treasurer.

William J. Burns, a special agent of the secret service bureau at Washington, who has been here for the past two months working on the special warrant case, made affidavits before Commissioner Morley, charging them with violating section 5539 of the revised statutes of the United States in issuing the $200,000 special warrants charged to be in the similitude of the United States currency. The warrant was placed in the hands of United States Marshal McNeil.

Auditor Stone appeared before the commissioner and entered into personal recognizance of $1000 for his appearance at the November term of the federal court, waiving examination. The warrants have not been served on Governor Stone, who was officially engaged, nor on State Treasurer Evans, who is out of the city. They will be served on the governor today, and on the treasurer when he returns. The affidavit contains three charges, covering each of the denominations of warrants, with a photograph print of both front and back of the same.

The state officials have been expecting these proceedings for several days, and were not therefore the least surprised when served. They appear not at all disturbed, and are sanguine of the successful termination of the issue.

A Severe Arraignment.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The Times this morning publishes an article on Mr. Gladstone's recent subscription of £100 to the Irish parliamentary fund. The article represents that the fund has been and is even now supported by the physical force party. It says that Mr. Gladstone and Baron Tweedmouth can hardly pretend ignorance of the history of the fund. Its old American subscribers, it adds, are now a body thirsting for revenge. If privy councillors do not shrink from appearing in the same list with dynamiters, the latter will hardly consent to appear with privy councillors. Even Irish American politicians have scruples, even the Clan-na-Gael has its point of honor.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The cotton crop shows a decline.

Dalton, O., was devastated by fire.

Ten Fairfield (O.) icehouses were burned.

Sidney (Wash.) was partially destroyed by fire.

A destructive electric storm occurred at Huntley, Ills.

Preparations are being made for another census in Massachusetts.

Three new cases of smallpox were reported in New York city.

Heavy rains caused overflows of streams in and near Rochelle, Ills.

Zeta ridicules the proposed Central American union of governments.

The William Oliver homestead at Avon, Mass., was damaged by fire to the extent of $1000.

Howard Murray, 19 years old, was drowned in Winthrop's Cove, New London, Conn.

The American Society of Irrigation Engineers is holding its second annual convention in Denver.

A charter of incorporation was issued to "The Society of the War of 1812 in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

The treasurer of the Manchester lodge of Odd Fellows of East Boston was arrested on the charge of embezzling the funds of the organization.

Says She Committed Murder.

NASHUA, N. H., Sept. 11.—City Marshal Eaton has received a letter from Lina Herbert, who is now in the Concord insane asylum, saying that she murdered Alfred K. Walker and his sister Mary by poison 14 years ago. It is thought that the letter was prompted by insanity.

A Majority of 27,310.

RUTLAND, Vt., Sept. 11.—Certified election returns show the Republican majority to be 27,310, and the plurality 28,356. The senate is a Republican unit, and the house stands as follows: Republicans, 233; Democrats, 9; Populists, 1. Three towns made no choice.

A Close Call.

BESSEMER, Mich., Sept. 11.—The entire city fire department and several hundred citizens were fighting fire all night near the Gogebic powder mill. Had the fire reached the mill the entire city would have been demolished and hundreds of lives lost.

Waiting For a Raise.

SUNCOOK, N. H., Sept. 11.—The Pembroke, Webster and China mills opened their gates yesterday and gave their help a chance to go in, but the strikers say they will not go back until prices are raised or until Fall River raises wages.

On the Old Scale.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Sept. 11.—There is no change in the strike situation, except that the City mill started up yesterday. The usual number of help employed in this mill returned to work at the old rate of wages.

Shot Her Friend.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Sept. 11.—Miss Mary Callahan of Walnut Grove accidentally shot Miss Flora Marsh, a schoolmate, in the head. The girl died shortly afterward without regaining consciousness.

Up Another Point.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Sept. 11.—The print cloth market raised a point yesterday, 60,000 pieces being sold at 3 cents, with the market firm at that price. Mills were moderate sellers.

Vacation Ended.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—United States Ambassador Bayard has returned from the Mediterranean, where he has been enjoying a trip on board the steam yacht Electra.

Report Was Probably Untrue.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 11.—Nothing is known here concerning a massacre of a government surveying party in this vicinity, as reported from San Francisco.

Captain Crosby's Explanation.

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 11.—The tug Bismarck, from down river, had on board Captain Crosby and the mate of the English steamer Baron Belhaven, which skipped for sea Sunday afternoon without clearing from the custom house. The steamer went aground near Prospect, and was found by the revenue cutter Woodbury, which had been sent in chase of her. The captain says he was drunk and did not know what he was doing when he sailed away.

A Freak of Nature.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Rev. E. C. Towne reports that during a thunder storm a large ball of fire fell in a vacant lot in Austin. A hole several feet in diameter and of considerable depth was left in the ground, and the earth for 20 feet around was cracked.

Thriving In an Incubator.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 11.—A girl baby that weighed but one pound was born at Crescent Park Labor day, and is still alive. The child was prematurely born and was immediately placed under incubator treatment. As a result she now weighs two pounds, and the chords of the mouth and throat, which were not sufficiently developed to permit eating, have improved. The parents of the child are Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Brien of Fall River, Mass.

Expulsion of a Prominent Turfman.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Turfman Monroe Salisbury was yesterday expelled from the trotting turf by the judges of the postponed 2:16 race, which brought the grand circuit trotting meeting to a close. The offense for which this severe measure was meted out as punishment was Mr. Salisbury's alleged removal of the trotting mare Expressive from the Fleetwood track without the permission of the judges.

Emperors Are For Peace.

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—Dr. Witte, Russian minister of finance, says that the czar desires to be at peace with the whole world. It is a great mistake, Dr. Witte adds, to suppose that Russia is disposed to violate peace for the sake of France, and it is lamentable that the armaments of the nations continue to be enlarged, when the emperors of Russia, Germany and Austria desire peace.

Dangerous Wreck Marked.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The lighthouse board has issued a notice that on Sept. 7 a gaslighted buoy painted black and showing a fixed white light was moored to mark the dangerous wreck of the schooner Mary J. Castner, recently sunk between Pollock Rip and Chatham, Mass.

Quite an Increase.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The annual report of the second controller of the currency shows that the total number of accounts, claims and cases settled during the fiscal year ending June 30 last involved $280,002,002, an increase in the last fiscal year of $74,000,000.

No Corruption, Says Gilroy.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Mayor Gilroy has returned from his European trip. To a reporter he said regarding the reform meeting held last week: "I tell you there is nothing to reform. I know that corruption does not exist in the municipal government."

Can't Pay Dividends.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Justice O'Brien has appointed James W. Gerard referee to pass upon the petition of the Liberty Insurance company for a voluntary dissolution. The company was organized in 1887. No dividends have been paid since 1891.

Struck a Church Spire.

DEERFIELD, Mass., Sept. 11.—During a storm yesterday afternoon the spire of the Unitarian church was struck by lightning and badly damaged.

Fish Don't Bite.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., Sept. 11.—Messrs. Cleveland, Lamont and Bryant fished all day yesterday with indifferent luck.

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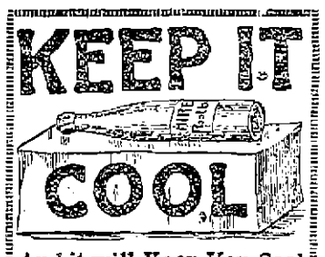

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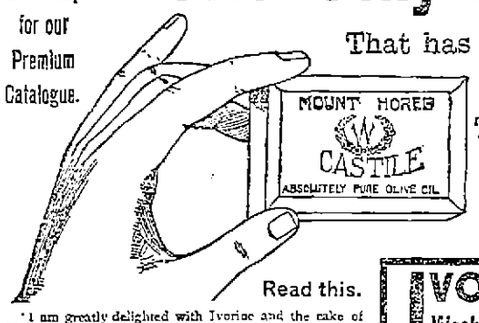

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ALMANAC FOR TUESDAY, SEPT. 11.

SUN RISES..... 5 25 | MOON SETS.. 1 24 A.M.
SUN SETS..... 6 01 | HIGH WATER | 9 00 A.M.
LENGTH OF DAY..12 41 | FULL SEA | 9 00 P.M.

Forecast for New England: Fair, preceded by showers in northern parts of Maine; cooler, except stationary temperature in the vicinity of Eastport; westerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

The Kitson company is said to have made $60,000 last year.

The work of paving New Appleton street will soon be commenced.

Joseph A. Coram is to erect a new residence on Marlborough street.

Will the general public ever have a chance to inspect the new truant school.

Peter A. Fay will be a candidate for county commissioner on the democratic ticket.

Wm. A. Delmage of Fourth street, is laid up with a broken arm caused by a fall from a tree Friday.

Undertaker Brooks has a burglar and fire proof casket which can be opened by a person inside of it.

The incorporators of the new Lowell trotting association will meet and organize at Portland this week.

Last night's storm did great damage to fruit trees and immense quantities of unripe fruit will be wasted.

Workmen on the Centralville sewer have struck another ledge, between Billings street and the open trench.

The Y. M. C. A. gives a reception to young men employed in the cotton and woolen mills tomorrow night.

Miss Adelaide E. Noyes will entertain her friends at her home on Princeton street tomorrow evening on the occasion of the opening of 15 night blooming cereus.

Gardner W. Pearson may decline as a candidate for the state central committee, and in such case there will be a lively hustle among young democrats to get the coveted place.

J. L. Chalifoux reports lately a large increase in his sales over the corresponding weeks of last year. His great assortment of novelties in fall suits certainly accounts for part of this increase.

Many of the young voters of Ward Two believe that if land there was all taxed by the square foot instead of by the acre, as in many instances, that portion of the city would grow and develop as a residential section.

The choir at the First Primitive M. E. church on Gorham street has organized with Fred Pickles, president, Miss Montford, secretary, and T. H. Husband, treasurer. Rehearsals will be held on Friday evenings.

Will Put Up Candidates.

L. W. Weeks is to address the populists at their headquarters tomorrow evening. Nomination papers of candidates are to be drawn up.

Who Are To Be Married.

The latest marriage intentions received at the city clerk's office were those of Fred N. Dubois and Jennie E. R. Wheaton, Walter B. Lowe and Bertha W. Shaw, James H. Powers and Margaret T. Draddy.

Going to College.

The following Lowell boys go to college this year: Arthur Hatch, Perry Thompson, James M. Abbott and Eric Greenhalge, to Harvard; Robert F. Marden, Dartmouth; George Pillsbury, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Fred D. Shepard and Boyden H. Pillsbury begin their senoir year at Dartmouth today.

Young Man's Serious Accident.

While stepping from the 7.45 train in Lawrence last evening, Thomas Larkin made a misstep, and fell on the track, the wheels of one of the cars, passing over one of his feet. He was removed to the hospital, where Mrs. Dow and Sargent amputated the foot. Larkin belongs in this city and started on a visit to Lawrence last evening.

Hen Poisoning Case.

The little village of Gilmanville in Tewksbury is excited over a case of hen poisoning. William Burke and Ellen Avery, it is alleged, have not got along well together of late though they are next door neighbors. Burke has had three or four of his hens die recently and it seems that they were poisoned with arsenic. He claims Mrs. Avery administered the poison and had a warrant served on her, but she was acquitted yesterday.

An Eclipse On Friday.

There will be an eclipse of the moon on Friday night. The affair will begin at 9.36 o'clock. The first part of the eclipse will be visible from the western parts of Europe and Africa, and over all of North and South America.

But before it has lasted long the Europeans will be out of it, and the show thenceforth will be a purely American one.

At 10.30 o'clock the eclipse will be at its maximum, and at 11.28 the moon will triumphantly emerge from the shadow.

Spun Yarns of Their Trip.

A supper was given in the Reform club last evening in honor of Mr. Frank Burns, janitor, and Mr. Hugh Williams, another member, both of whom have just returned from the other side of the water. The Ladies' auxiliary assisted in the arrangements. Supper was served to 150 at 8 o'clock, after which Mr. Richard Hallowell called to order, and in behalf of the members presented Messrs. Burns and Williams with handsome badges. Both gentlemen responded and gave an account of their travels. A musical program followed.

ABOUT LIQUOR SEIZURES.

Information Given to a Correspondent of THE SUN.

A suscriber writes to THE SUN for information regarding the seizure of liquor by police officers.

The matter is covered by chapter 100 of the public statutes. The mode of procedure of the liquor officers is, in the first place, to arm themselves with a search warrant which permits them to search the house mentioned in the complaint and to seize and any and all liquors found there, together with vessels and furniture used in the sale of the liquor.

All liquor seized is taken to the police station and the seizure officers return the warrant with a list of the liquor, etc., taken, written on its back. They then make out a notice of forfeiture, enumerating the articles to be forfeited. Two such notices are thus made out, one of which is posted on the house from which the seizure was made and the other is sent to the defendant. On the day when the matter of forfeiture comes up in police court, if the persons from whom the liquor was taken can show that it was for their own use, and not for sale, the officers are obliged by law to return it to its owners. If the parties, however, fail to show this the liquor is sent to Chief Wade of the district police and is sold the money thus obtained if in excess of the expenses, being turned into the state treasury.

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George Flint extinguished a blaze in a Lawrence street car Sunday by the use of some chemicals which he had in his store.

Prof. Borjes has returned to this city and has opened his school for teaching the violin; for further particulars call at 31 Tyler street.

A true, life-like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barristers' hall and have a sitting made.

The new Hale's brook channel is completed and as stated some time ago the old Plain street bridge will now go and the bed of the brook will be filled in at that point. The water shed of the driven well system now has almost perfect drainage.

Supply Was Running Low.

The continued drouth has had its effect upon the supply of water at the driven wells and the yield has fallen off about a million gallons daily, the amount pumped being not far from two million gallons.

An Overcrowded Institution.

The jail at Thorndike street is overcrowded and prisoners have to be transferred to East Cambridge almost every week. Yesterday, 20 were taken below by Sheriff Cushing.

Practice of Medicine.

A test case is to be made on the bill to regulate the practice of medicine, according to the Boston Post. A number of medical men known as the "irregulars" are preparing to have the supreme bench pass upon the question of its constitutionality.

Choral Singing Begins.

Dr. Fix's chorus held its first rehearsal in the First Congregational church last evening. The chorus comprises some of the best singers in the city. Over 100 names are now on the list of applicants. The first public work will be a concert in aid of the W. C. T. U.

Up in a Balloon.

Prof. Wolcott did not make his parachute jump at Lakeview yesterday owing to the unfavorable condition of the weather. His assistant is Curtis Waite who has had considerable experience in the business. Mr. Waite will probably make a few ascensions this week, while the professor himself go up today.

SCHOOL OPENING DAY

Notes Taken From the Several Schools in Regard to the Attendance, etc.

Miss Battles is the assistant to Miss Kennedy, temporary principal at the Varnum school, instead of Miss Balch, as stated yesterday, the latter young lady going to a lower grade to fill the place supplied by Miss Usher during last term. The term opened in this school under very favorable auspices and with a large attendance.

It is said that at the high school one of the teachers was counted off as a pupil to go into another room for classification, yesterday, much to the amusement of the pupils when the joke was discovered.

There were 685 pupils reported at the high school and 50 more are expected before the end of the week. The increase over opening day last year was 113. Of the number received this year 233 came from the grammar schools.

LOWELL'S BOWLING CRAZE.

IT IS STILL TALKED ABOUT IN OTHER PLACES.

Gossip In Regard to the League Schedule and the Sub-Division of the Classes—Vespers, Highlands and Miserables Are in It.

Once more the talk of the sports is bowling and the teams in the big league are beginning to get into shape for the fall and winter tournament. The Boston athletic association is mapping out a very interesting program. The B. A. A. bowlers will come together in a week. Big improvements are being made in their alleys including the placing of a bowler and electrical ventilating apparatus which will keep a constant supply of fresh air in the alleys, removing the clear smoke which sometimes gets dense during the progress of a game. The league teams will be selected from 20 of the association's best bowlers.

The Norfolk house Casino team will be strong this fall. Its would-be members are now practicing. Capt. George A. Smith will head the team it is expected.

How about the champions? The Vespers of this city are the champions of the first division, and the make up of the team will not be changed materially. Grover, Corwin, Goulding, Thorpe and Harris being the team. Corwin and Goulding won their spurs as star bowlers some two years ago. Grover was one of last year's "phenoms" and Thorpe the left handed bowler made a good record.

Lowell isn't satisfied with one champion team for in the third division the crack Les Miserables swept everyone else off the alleys and afterwards beat the Vespers. Les Miserables will put up the same team as before. "Veteran" Jim McLaughlin never was stronger in his life, and Swift, Seedé, Parcell, Marren and Farrell are in good shape. Keep your eye on the Belvidere team this fall.

The make-up of the other teams are not as yet known.

The league is puzzled over the make-up of the divisions at present. A year ago the teams were grouped on the basis of pins knocked down in the matches of the preceding season. This year as the Vespers and Highlands are in the same division there will be much more travel for the other teams in that division, and hence some objections have been made to the pin classification plan. The committee appointed at the last meeting to arrange this division consists of W. J. Follett, Newton; S. T. Wheeler, Vesper; F. A. Nichols, Old Dorchester; W. W. Orne, 59th Artillery; G. A. Lloyd, Arlington; J. H. Aubin, Gilston. This committee is to report Sept. 28 and is now considering the plan of splitting the league into two divisions separating the distinctively social club from the bowling organizations.

A General Call

to all the inhabitants of Lowell and vicinity to buy our teas and coffees and get useful premiums. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

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NOT MEAT TO HIS TASTE.

Keeper—I thought you was workin' up at Morley's farm, Giles.
Giles—Well, so I wer; but two week ago clowd cow died, and we 'ad to eat 'im; and next week t' pig died, and we 'ad to eat 'im; an' this mornin' t' master's mother-in-law died, so I thought I'd leave.—Pall Mall Budget.

Miss Rose Dubois is visiting in Canada.

Calvin N. Lassonde has entered the Boston Dental College.

Messrs. Delphis Billeville, and Ephrem Pelletier have returned from Canada.

Rev. C. W. Huntington will debate with Henry B. Blackwell, husband of the late Lucy Stone Blackwell, on "Equal Suffrage," tomorrow night.

Last evening Prof. Stroud of the Y. M. C. A., commenced his fall and winter course of instruction in indoor athletics. He intends to make the business men's class a special feature this year.

Mrs. John Sullivan of No. 4 Williams street, is in receipt of a chip of a famous rock in Castleton, Berehaven, County Cork, brought over by her neice from Ireland, and of which she is very proud.

Overcome By Heat.

John Tucker, residing at 12 Seventh street, was overcome by the heat at Lakeview, yesterday, and was taken home.

A New Band.

Mr. Joseph McShane is organizing a band composed wholly of flutes, fifes, drums and cymbals. They have 22 men and the number will be increased.

The Bowling Last Night.

The Big 12s defeated the Farmers at Lakeview last evening by a score of 2297 to 2145. The teams were: Big 12—Sanborn, 424, McMahon 369, Gallagher 502, Rawson 467, Viney 535; total 2297. Farmers—Sturtevant 408, Kirby 386, Hawes 416, Barton 450, Leighton 485; total 2145. The Farmers are Wm Sturtevant's "Unknowns," which were recently discovered in the hay fields of Ward Four.

SEVERELY TRUNCED.

Anson's Pets Allowed the Bostons to Roll Up Twenty-Five Runs.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—On the very loose fielding of the Colts, the Champions threw them down, pounded them and rubbed it in until they were tired out. Two-thirds of the hits off Terry came after chances to retire the side had been neglected.

Boston	0	5	8	1	5	1	5	0		—25
Chicago	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3—	8

Base hit—Boston, 20; Chicago, 12. Errors—Boston, 5; Chicago, 8. Batteries—Stivetts and Tenney; Terry and Schriver.

At Cleveland:

New York	0	2	0	0	1	0	5	0	5—	13
Cleveland	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—	4

Base hits—New York, 17; Cleveland, 10. Errors—New York, 1; Cleveland, 4. Batteries—Rusie and Farrell; Sullivan and O'Connor.

At Louisville:

Baltimore	2	0	3	3	3	1	3	—15		
Louisville	3	0	1	1	0	1	0	—6		

Base hits—Baltimore, 12; Louisville, 11. Errors—Baltimore, 2; Louisville, 5. Batteries—Esper and Robinson; Inks and Lake. Game called on account of darkness.

Queen Bridget Is Dead.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 11.—Bridget T. Gorman, known as the queen of gypsies in America, died at her camp near this city, aged 85. She has ruled in America since the death of her husband, King John Gorman, two years ago, and will be succeeded by her son, Barney Gorman, under a regency. The queen lived a roaming life all her days, and was popular with her subjects.

A Vermont Mystery.

FAIRLEE, Vt., Sept. 11.—A man's badly decomposed body, separated from the head, was found in the woods, near here, yesterday. A man named Johnson, who was addicted to drink, has been missing since July 1, and when last seen was near the spot where the body was found. A jug of rum was also found near by. The coroner is investigating.

Body to Be Exhumed.

NEWTON, N. H., Sept. 11.—The selectmen have taken active steps to solve the doubt about the suspicious deaths in the Peck family. The body of the father will be exhumed, and although there is no particularly strong chain of suspicion against any one, County Solicitor Hoyt has decided to hold the inquest to allay the public suspicion.

Sunk In Vineyard Sound.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Sept. 11.—The three-masted schooner Dora M. French of Bangor, Me., was sunk yesterday noon by the steamer Portia of Liverpool, N. S., about 1½ miles from Vineyard Sound lightship, during a thick fog and fresh southwest wind. The crew were rescued by the Portia.

Foreclosure Comes Next.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—T. J. Coolidge, Jr., of the reorganization committee of the New York and New England railroad, states that Judge Wallace of New York has signed the decree for the foreclosure of the mortgage on the property, and that the papers will be immediately forwarded and filed in this city.

Killed by Lightning.

WHATLEY, Mass., Sept. 11.—A Polander, whose name is unknown, was struck by lightning and instantly killed during the thunderstorm here yesterday afternoon.

McWherrell Must Hang.

TORONTO, Sept. 11.—McWherrell, convicted of brutally murdering the old Williams couple on Dec. 4 last, has been refused a new trial and will be hanged.

Jail Burned Out.

ASHLAND, Wis., Sept. 11.—The Harley jail was gutted by fire. Prisoner Tom Jordis started it in his cell, and was himself burned to a crisp.

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THE CROP REPORT

Light Showers of Little Relief to Farmers.

FROST HAS DONE MUCH DAMAGE TO CROPS.

The Potato Crop Better Than Was Expected.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—According to the official reports of the New England weather service, United States weather bureau, the past week has seen a continuation of the drought throughout New England.

As a rule the correspondents report that the drought is felt more severely now than at any time during the season. In many instances streams, springs and wells that are known as almost unfailing are dry. In some sections from one-third to one-half the pastures are without water. The weather during the fore part of the week was warm, temperature somewhat above the average, and the atmosphere generally smoky and hazy. The latter part of the period was cool, and killing frosts, occasionally freezing temperatures, occurred in many sections of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

In some localities all vegetation subject to injury was killed by the frost, resulting in considerable damage to late vegetables, grass and berries. Farm work of all kinds has progressed with the fine weather. Therefore the crops, while light, will be safely and completely secured, and in excellent condition.

Garden Vegetables Suffered.

In Maine rain is needed more than ever, though the showers of the 8th gave temporary relief. The severe frosts in interior sections resulted in great damage to blueberries and garden vegetables generally. In nearly all parts of the state potatoes are being dug. In some places the yield is the average and the quality fine; in others the crop averages well and satisfactory. The rot is doing damage in some fields, but this is far from a general complaint.

In Aroostook county the harvest crops are nearly all secured in fair to fine condition. Potatoes are reported as selling at $1 a barrel. The Caribou correspondent reports fine harvest weather; warm first part of the week, but later very cool; temperature on the morning of the 8th ranging 8° below freezing. Here potatoes are being dug, yield light. In the vicinity of Houlton the grain is about all harvested. Potato digging is in progress, with an average yield. The frost of the 8th destroyed all vines, beans, etc., and killed all potato tops that were green.

No New Grass.

The reports from New Hampshire are generally favorable. The rain of the 8th did much good. Pastures, particularly in lowlands, will be greatly benefited, which will be the means of better fitting stock for fall feeding and wintering.

The potatoes are being dug in all sections, and as a rule the yield is about the average. Little rot is reported. Apples are a fair crop, but falling considerably, and will require early gathering. Tomatoes are plentiful, and most excellent quality. Pastures are very short, in some sections reported drying up.

At Grafton pastures are completely burned up; no water in any of them. The shower of the week in this part of the state was only sufficient to lay the dust. Corn is very good and being harvested. Near Newton the wells and springs are drying, and rain was never more needed than now. No new grass in any fields. In and about Deerfield all crops have suffered from the dry weather. The shower of the 8th was the first for several weeks.

Conditions Are Fair.

From Vermont come reports of a dry week. Showers occurred in most sections of this state on the 5th. There is probably less complaint in this state of the drought than any part of the district. Taken as an average, the season here compares favorably with other years. Potatoes are rotting some, but a very good crop will be secured.

Massachusetts was favored with rains in about all sections on the 8th, otherwise the week was dry. At Spencer the rain continued for two hours, and was followed by rising temperature, which was favorable to grass and roots. Corn, however, owing to the lateness of the season, cannot be improved by rain. Apples and pears are falling off and maturing too early.

Showers Barely Laid Dust.

Rhode Island reports another dry week, the rainfall in no section being more than sufficient to lay the dust. In some cases the question of water supply is growing serious. Wells and springs that have been used as a last resort have failed. Stock can be watered in many cases only with much labor and inconvenience. Moosup valley reports corn cutting in progress. The crop on low, moist ground is fair; on light and uplands, poor. The Kingston and other correspondents also report a continuation of dry weather. The crop and other conditions have changed little from those of previous weeks.

Fruits Ripening Earlier Than Usual.

In some sections of Connecticut the conditions have improved. In the vicinity of Meriden the rain of the 8th was sufficient for all growing crops, but the fall was not sufficient to renew wells, water courses and springs. Corn is reported ripening and will be a fairly good crop. New meadows in many cases will have to be reseeded.

Peaches are ripening, except the late varieties, and the fruit is excellent in quality. Grapes are plentiful, but the bunches are small and irregular. Apples promise a fair crop, though falling in some places. Gardens have improved very much.

The observer at South Manchester reports that all fruits are ripening earlier than usual, on account of the dry weather. For the same reason the apples are small in size. No feed starting here yet. Corn is being cut and will fall below the average. At Vernon Centre the corn is mostly cut. Here the crop conditions are improved as compared with last week. The reports of tobacco are generally favorable. In many places potato digging is finished, with a good yield and much better than expected.

Drought Affecting Milk Supply.

In about all sections of New England the dry weather is having a bad effect on the milk supply. This applies to quality and quantity. Owing to the early maturing of the crops there is less liability than usual of damage from frost in sections where it has not already occurred.

A GOOD IDEA.

Aliens In Our Country's Service Can Be Admitted to Citizenship.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Action has been taken by Admiral Ramsey, acting secretary of the navy, to carry out that feature of the last naval appropriation bill which provides for the naturalization of aliens serving in the navy and marine corps.

Under the section in question any foreigner who has served five years consecutively in either branch of the service mentioned, who has reached the age of 21, and who has been or may be honorably discharged, may be admitted to citizenship upon his petition without a previous declaration of his intention, upon furnishing to a proper court proof of good moral character and of his service.

Forty per cent of the enlisted men in these two branches of the service in round numbers are foreigners, and at least 30 per cent have expressed their desire to become naturalized, but find it difficult to comply with the necessary formalities on account of their service at sea. They will now be enabled to take out naturalization papers by a visit to any port where there is a United States court.

Admiral Ramsey made a general order yesterday calling attention to the new law and directing commanding officers of ships and stations to cause it to be read and explained to their men, and also posted in convenient places for reference.

Attempt to Open Mills Fails.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Sept. 11.—The employes of the Parkhill mill refused to resume work at from 3 to 7 per cent reduction in wages when the mill was reopened yesterday, after a three weeks' shutdown, and the mills are closed again.

Drowned In a Tub.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—Two-year-old Annie Ruthwater, whose home was at 20 Sawyer street, was playing about the kitchen while her mother was washing, yesterday afternoon, when she fell into a tub of water and was drowned.

A Costly Ride.

BOSTON, Sept. 11.—Eddie Bliss, 7 years of age, was riding on a stone team late yesterday afternoon and he fell off. The heavy wheels passed over his abdomen, and the boy was probably fatally injured.

Three Victims of a Wreck.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 11.—Spreading rails caused a wreck on the Shell Beach railroad. Julius Applehans was killed, Willie Flick died of injuries and Engineer Crawford was badly hurt.

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Cleaves' Majority Over Johnson Is Estimated to Be 37,000.

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 11.—Yesterday was a good day for Republicans and a correspondingly bad one for Democrats, but the result was not altogether unforeseen. While the Democrats admit defeat they do not show a symptom of discouragement. The Prohibitionists and Populists are not largely in evidence so far as returns indicate.

C. F. JOHNSON. H. B. CLEAVES.

Returns from over 100 cities and towns indicate that the state has re-elected Governor Cleaves (Rep.) over Charles E. Johnson (Dem.) by a majority exceeding 37,000, the largest in the history of the party. The Republicans have carried every county in the state, and it is estimated that the legislature will have a working Republican majority of 125, which insures the re-election of Senator W. P. Frye.

Thomas B. Reed has been re-elected to congress by a plurality estimated at 10,000. Nelson Dingley, Seth L. Milliken and C. A. Boutelle are also re-elected to congress by majorities ranging from 6000 to 9000. The total vote will probably exceed 110,000.

Here are the city votes:

Cities.	Cleaves.	Johnson.	Scat.
Bellowell	934	51	15
Gardiner	552	74	10
Auburn	1,181	493	189
Saco	781	208	75
Lewiston	1,689	1,274	97
Bath	942	272	93
Biddeford	1,086	616	.....
Calais	680	312	53
Waterville	847	634	40
Augusta	1,210	395	94
Portland	3,906	2,210	106

Biddeford completely turns over, having given in '92, Cleaves, 818; Johnson, 761; scattering, 14.

Coopers on Strike.

OMAHA, Sept. 11.—All the coopers employed in the Swift packing house have struck because of the refusal to discharge two non-union men, who were employed during the recent strike of the butchers.

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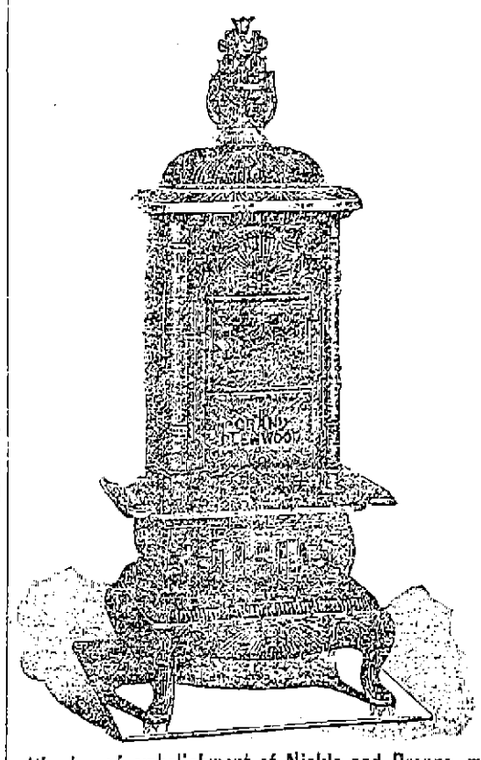

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